

## S. M. ATHLETIC CLUB AWARDED TROPHY AS JUNIOR MAJOR LEAGUE CHAMPIONS AT AMERICAN LEGION PARTY MONDAY

Gala Evening As Jr. Major League Guests Number 100

Members of the Sierra Madre Athletic Club baseball team, sponsored by the local American Legion post, were awarded the Junior Major League championship trophy Monday evening when the local American Legion played host to over 100 baseball players, their coaches and friends from the seven teams comprising the league.

The local team clinched the award last Sunday afternoon by defeating Verdugo, the runner-up team, by a score of 5 to 4 in a hard fought 10 inning game.

Lester Cox, manager of the Chamberlain Athletics of Pasadena, was the principal speaker at the Monday meeting which was held in the Council Chambers of the City Hall.

Mr. Cox, a veteran of 30 years in semi-professional baseball, stressed the importance of junior baseball and invited all those present to visit and work with his club—the Chamberlain Athletics, now runner-up team in the Orange Belt League.

Bob Stewart of Altadena presented the permanent trophy to the winning Sierra Madre team, and Howard Virgin, coach of the Sunland-Tujunga team, presented a trophy to a member of his team, whose batting average for the season was .354.

Entertainment included a sound motion picture on baseball, shown by courtesy of the Pacific Coast League, and an outstanding musical program featuring songs by Donald Thayer, baritone, and music by Dick Jenkins at the piano. Allan Robertson with his guitar and harmonica, and Sierra Madre Post Commander Jack Shearer with his clarinet, Harold Roberts was Master of Ceremonies.

Following the musical program, which was held in the City Hall dugout, many of those present participated in darts, pool and ping-pong.

A delicious supper of ham, roast beef, potato salad, coffee and ice cream was served. The kitchen was under the able supervision of Mrs. William Lindsay and Lavonne Babbitt with the assistance of several others.

The event marked the end of the Junior Major League's baseball season. Teams comprising the league are: Altadena Lions Club, Pasadena Elks, Pasadena Lions, Pasadena American Legion Post 13, and other Legion teams from Sunland, Verdugo and Sierra Madre.

William G. Lindsay, of Woodland Drive, is Commissioner of the league. Jack Mitchell is in charge of publicity and Harold Roberts is a member of the board of directors.

## Local Racing Pigeon Wins Outstanding Performance Cup For 1946 Achievement

Flying 2400 racing miles during one eight week period, a Sierra Madre racing pigeon recently won an Outstanding Performance Cup for its achievement during 1946.

Owned by Harold Osterman, 14 year old son of E. J. Osterman of West Highland Ave., the pigeon, No. AVF 9748, won six diplomas in eight races during the season; besides a diploma for the second highest racing speed for the year, against all birds in the San Gabriel Valley Racing Pigeon Club. The bird maintained an average speed of 1089.79 yards per minute for all races during the year, or approximately 40 miles per hour.

As a yearling, the bird has shown rare racing form, and consistency of speed. In three different races in consecutive weeks, he placed fourth in a 400 mile race from Marysville; first place in the following week in a 500 mile race from Redding, California; and fifth place the next week in another 500 mile race from Redding.

Young Osterman, a member of Sierra Madre Boy Scout Troop 2, of which his father is scoutmaster, became interested in racing pigeons and secured his first birds less than two years ago.

Today, both father and son are pigeon enthusiasts and have a loft of 32 birds. They are members of the San Gabriel Valley Racing Pigeon Club and frequently participate in races against other nearby clubs.

Interest in carrier pigeons is growing rapidly, and the elder Mr. Osterman attributes this to World War II veterans who, having seen pigeons perform in the sky.

### COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY—Christmas Story Hour, for Children, City Library, 2:30 p. m.  
 Kiwanis Club Ladies' Night, Woman's Clubhouse, 7:15 p. m.  
 SATURDAY—American Legion Semi-Formal Dance, Woman's Clubhouse, 9 p. m.  
 TUESDAY—Annual Community Christmas Tree, City Park, 7 p. m.

## Five New Directors Named For Chamber of Commerce With Record Member Vote

Boy Scout Caravan to Calico Mtns. Planned For December 27 - 29

Boy Scouts expecting to join the Caravan going to the Calico Mountains December 27, 28 and 29 must make reservations at Scout Headquarters in Pasadena, 94 North Raymond Ave., not later than Saturday noon of this week, December 21st.

## Masonic Christmas Resumed Christmas Tree Gift From Oregon Friends

Reviving a custom of former years the Sierra Madre Chapter of Eastern Star will hold its first annual Christmas party since the war on Monday, December 23, at Masonic Temple.

The festivities will include families of Eastern Star and the Masonic Order, with Christmas stockings for children of the two organizations up to 12 years of age. Santa Claus in person will distribute gifts and there will be singing of carols and refreshments.

Loaned for the occasion will be a large Christmas tree sent from Wolf Creek, Oregon, to Letta Hopper from her son, who is Past Patron of Wolf Creek Chapter of O. E. S., and her daughter-in-law, who is Worthy Matron of the Chapter.

## Jimmy Tyler's Death Mourned by All

The community was deeply saddened Tuesday when news came that little "Jimmy" Tyler, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bryce Tyler of 185 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., had succumbed at Children's Hospital in Los Angeles.

Jimmy, named for his father, James Bryce Tyler, Jr., was 3½ years old. He was taken to the hospital three weeks ago. He is survived by his parents, a sister, Anne Marie and brothers Michael and Patrick.

The services held today at St. Rita's will be private with Fr. Leo officiating.

Five new Chamber of Commerce directors, Noren Eaton, William Estes, J. C. Loomis, Jr., Thomas M. Schwartz and Harold Spears, were elected at a meeting of the Sierra Madre Chamber, Monday evening when the ballots which had previously been mailed to the organization's membership were counted.

Secretary A. E. Morgan announced that 59 out of the total membership of 67, cast votes on the election, showing an encouraging interest in the Chamber's future program.

Working with the new directors in mapping the policy for next year will be five incumbent directors: Paul N. Carter, Carl Colt, A. L. Suman, Sam Perloff and A. E. Morgan.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors January 6, a new officer slate will be elected to fill the positions of president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer for 1947.

## Arie Hoegge, Aged Pioneer Passes Away

Arie Hoegge, aged 80, well-known Sierra Madre pioneer, passed away Friday, December 13, at his home in Huntington Beach.

Mr. Hoegge was a native of Grand Rapids, Mich., and came to California early in the century and made his home in Sierra Madre for many years. While here, he built the mountain camp, widely known as Hoegge's Resort. He was a member of the Woodmen of America.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Grace Hoegge of Huntington Beach; two daughters, Mrs. Martha Pickering and Mrs. Alice Cutting, both of Los Angeles; three sons, City Councilman Vinton A. Hoegge of Sierra Madre, and William and Arie Hoegge of Monrovia; and two sisters, Mrs. Ida Dumas of Los Angeles and Mrs. Margaret Freeman of Arizona. There are also six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services are being held at St. Rita's Mortuary in Huntington Beach at 10:30 A. M. today.

## RECOGNITION RECEIVED FROM U. S. NAVY

Raymond D. Andrews, 692 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., is among those who received a certificate of recognition from the U. S. Navy for services rendered during the war on a secret project at California Institute of Technology where he worked as an engineer. The awards were made at a recent tea at Cal Tech with wives and friends of the engineers present.

## Queen and Princesses



From the seven Princesses chosen to reign over the 58th Tournament of Roses to be held in Pasadena New Year's Day Miss Norma Christopher (lower left) was chosen Queen. The girls were selected from Pasadena's two Junior Colleges, PJC and Muir. They will ride at the head of the famous rose parade and will occupy the Royal box at the Rose Bowl. From left to right are Joyce Erickson and Beverly Lober. Center row left to right are Jean Rogers, Barbara Jones and Louise Campbell. In the bottom row, from left to right are Norma Christopher and Dawn Rae Dixon.

## Christmas

CHRISTMAS STAR

Last night I saw a brilliant star  
 Above the crescent moon;  
 And as I gazed upon its light  
 I seemed to see the shepherds there  
 Watching their flocks by night;  
 And to hear again the angels sing  
 Above the manger bed  
 Where the infant Christ-Child lay  
 Nineteen hundred years ago.

—MARY WARD

### ANNOUNCEMENT

The Sierra Madre News will be delivered next Tuesday, December 23rd, on account of Christmas. Classified ads. will close Monday at 10:00 a. m. and dead line for news will be Saturday at 5:00 p. m.

## Unusual Job Of Local Man Is Recalled

An unusual job in the long public service career of Burton C. McDonald of North Grove street, was recalled in the "25 Years Ago Today" column of the Los Angeles Herald-Express in a recent issue.

The newspaper's files for December 1921 revealed the following:

"Burton C. McDonald assumed his new duties yesterday as 'husband prodder'. McDonald, who has been investigator in the district attorney's office, has been assigned to the new position created by the supervisors, to aid Judge Summerfield and Miss May Allison, trustee of the Failure to Provide court."

Wide publicity was given McDonald's appointment to the position, which was called "the only job of its kind in the United States."

Interviewed this week on the nature of the unique position, Mr. McDonald, who retired a year ago as Deputy Probation Officer with the L. A. County Probation Department, explained why he was variously designated as "Baby Protector," "Husband Prodder" and "Bully Beater."

Appointed by Superior Court Judge John Summerfield, McDonald's job was to investigate all cases of failure to provide for families. Prior to that time, every husband or father who failed for one reason or another to support his family was promptly sent to jail.

Interviewing the delinquent father, McDonald first found the source of the man's difficulty. If he was unemployed, the investigator found him a job; and if he was merely irresponsible or attempting to spite his wife at the expense of the child, he appealed to the parent's better instincts. Only if every other expedient failed was the man committed to jail.

Results of the new approach to failure to provide cases were amazing. Most non-paying fathers co-operated with the court, and thousands of dollars were saved the county over the old basis of throwing the man in jail for non-support without finding his difficulty.

Success of the plan was attributed by Mr. McDonald to the foresight and vision of Judge Summerfield, who came to the court with a deep sense of humane justice.

This is but one of many progressive measures which have brought the County Probation Department national notice, and which have been copied by other such agencies throughout the country.

Chalk is made up largely of the shells of protozoa, microscopic animals according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

## Lions Club First Annual Ladies Night Enjoyable Affair at Woman's Club

Sierra Madre Lions club held its first Annual Ladies' Night at the Woman's Club House Tuesday evening when 66 members and their ladies gathered for dinner and a festive evening of varied entertainment and singing of Christmas carols.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pierce, magicians of Sierra Madre, entertained the group with a series of magic and illusion acts. Miss Genevieve Wiley, blind soprano of Pasadena, sang three numbers, "The Christmas Candle," "Small Jesus" and "Holy Night," accompanied by Gus Rihard. She also sang and played two of her own compositions, "The Little Pig" and "Love Story."

Miss Nancy Kinsell of Los Angeles played the accordion during the dinner period. Mrs. Lona Baron Robertson of Sierra Madre played the piano for Carol singing. The program was furnished by Ralph M. Welch, first vice-president.

Ben Gossweiler, president, announced that there will be no meeting Tuesday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 31, because of Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. Harold Drury, program chairman and 2nd vice-president announced the first meeting of the new year for Tuesday, January 8, will be a business session to plan for various civic and club projects during 1947. Plans are now being made by members to attend the mid-winter convention at Fresno January 17 and 18. Ben Gossweiler, president should be contacted at 5202 for further information.

## City Library Begins Story Hour Friday

Sierra Madre children have an opportunity to hear Christmas stories from the lips of an experienced story teller Friday afternoon, when the City Library presents Miss Vera Whipple in the first of a series of weekly story hours. Miss Lulu Moore, City Librarian, announced this week.

Miss Whipple is a children's librarian from New York who has specialized in work with schools, and has a vast background in conducting story hours.

The first story hour is scheduled for Friday afternoon, December 20, at 2:30 p. m. Children of the lower grades will be most interested, but all children are cordially invited to hear stories new and old, told in fascinating fashion at the library.

## Santa Claus Stops At Toyloan Today

Toyloan is a happy, busy place this week Tuesday and today as the youngsters returned their toys for the Christmas vacation a special treat was in store. Santa Claus was on hand to greet the little folks and a committee from the Civic Club provided Christmas goodies and refreshments.

## LEGION DANCE BENEFIT SATURDAY EVE.

The American Legion Semi-formal Dance, first big veterans' social event of the winter, will be held Saturday evening at 9 o'clock in the Woman's Clubhouse, Jack Shearer, Sierra Madre Post Commander announced this week.

Gordon Thomas and his 12 piece orchestra will furnish the music for the affair, which is jointly sponsored by the Legion and Auxiliary.

Proceeds from the dance will go toward a special fund to help local hospitalized veterans, according to Roy Pickett, Sierra Madre Post Hospital chairman and Service officer.

An abundance of appetizing refreshments during intermission is assured by Mrs. Walter Nollac, president of the Auxiliary.

## Private Home Responds To Decorate Plea

No one should miss a trip to the west part of the city, Michilinda at Fairview to see one of the most beautiful old door Christmas trees. It is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harris with more than 400 lights. The grounds, balconies, pool and bathhouse are charmingly artistic. The decorations were planned and done by a Los Angeles professional company. Each evening from 7:30 to 9:00 Christmas music of organ, chorus and choir will be broadcast from an out-of-door arrangement.

Mr. Harris is the owner of Arrowhead Manor and maintains his residence in Sierra Madre.

One reason found by the Department of Motor Vehicles for traffic accidents is that so many 8-cylinder cars are piloted by 1-cylinder intellects.

## Col. Hersey, Rough Rider, Aviator and Weather Man Reviews Diverse Career

A retired Army officer who has served his country from San Juan Hill to the Battle of the Marne, and whose civilian career has included aviation, meteorology and polar exploration, Col. H. B. Hersey of East Laurel Ave., at the age of 86 modestly belittles the suggestion that he has done anything unusual.

His military service has included action with Col. Theodore Roosevelt's famed "Rough Riders"; organizing the New Mexico territorial militia; instituting the Army's first lighter-than-air training program; and commanding an artillery balloon observation unit in France during World War I.

## PUBLIC DEDICATES HUT TO YOUTH GROUPS OF CITY

## School Board O. K.s Student Hearing Test

Announcement that the hearing acuity of all students in the Sierra Madre elementary school will be tested during the month of February was made at a regular meeting of the city School Board, Wednesday evening.

A request from the Associated Students' Council that candy be sold in the school cafeteria was turned down by the trustees, who expressed the belief that the disadvantages of adding confections to cafeteria sales would outweigh the advantages.

The Board approved a proposal to move the school art room from its present location to a room to be built in part of the present cafeteria site. The cafeteria will receive in exchange the old art room and the move is expected to benefit both departments. These alterations will be carried out during the Christmas school vacation.

Hearing tests of students will be carried out by means of an audiometer which the State of California makes available to schools on a loan basis. The instrument will be used under the guidance of Mrs. Hortense Wells, school nurse.

## Landscaping 'Game Courts' to Be Added Later

Mayor J. Milton Steinberger accepted the newly completed Community Youth Hut on behalf of the City of Sierra Madre, at the building's dedication ceremonies Saturday afternoon before a large crowd of youth organization representatives and citizens.

Praising the volunteer spirit of those whose untiring efforts made the project possible, the Mayor assured members of the City Recreation Commission that the City would be responsible for the building's upkeep and maintenance.

Henry F. Kortsmeier, retiring president of the Kiwanis club, which sponsored the project, made the presentation speech, recalling that the building resulted from a realization of need for an adequate meeting place for youth groups.

The project was made possible, he said by the public spiritedness of local people. Among those mentioned for contributing to its success was Bruce McGill who was largely responsible for raising the funds for a Youth Center.

Sam McElfresh, master of ceremonies, introduced youth leaders including Mrs. Dan Strite, Girl Scout official, and Beverly Stenden, Mrs. Robert Newberry of Campfire Girls; Harry A. Lange, representing District Council of Boy Scouts, and Pierre Kenyon, Monrovia YMCA.

An impressive flag salute ceremony, led by Explorer Post 108, opened the event. Francis Eakman led the group singing and Dr. A. O. Pritchard gave the invocation.

Mr. McElfresh conducted visitors through the new building, explaining the many uses planned.

Refreshments of cider, doughnuts and coffee were furnished by members of the Parent-Teachers Association and served by 20 local Girl Scouts and Campfire Girls. Mrs. Gordon McMillan in charge.

In a short meeting following the exercises, plans were laid for leveling off the grounds adjacent to the hut, for basket and volleyball courts and a baseball diamond. Plans for a barbecue pit and open fireplace and the placing of benches about the grounds were also discussed.

Mr. McElfresh announced that approximately \$225 remains in the Youth Hut building funds and that the sum will be used in necessary finishing work such as additional painting, cement work for a sidewalk and steps, etc.

Importance of voluntary work on the project was indicated when it was learned that the 1100 square feet in the building was constructed at a cost of only two dollars per square foot, a ridiculously low figure at the present time.

## Sierra Madre Transfers Kiwanis Lt.-Governorship Honor to Monrovia Club

## Enlarge Playgrounds As Interest Grows In Youth Recreation

Opening of two new playing courts at the City Park, one each for volleyball and tennishall, was announced this week by Samuel E. McElfresh, city director of youth recreation activities.

These additional facilities are expected to enable more young people to enjoy the park's recreation program which is now scheduled from seven to nine o'clock on Monday and Thursday evenings.

Much interest is being shown in the bi-weekly supervised program. Mr. McElfresh reports, with 85 young people turning out one evening last week.

The city tennis courts and ping-pong tables are constantly busy, and new interest is being shown in shuffle board the director said.

## Dr. Raymond C. Simpson Pledges Aid to Successor

Dr. Raymond C. Simpson, of Sierra Madre, Monday night completed his tenure of office as Lieutenant-Governor of Kiwanis Division 10, as new officers were installed in a district installation at the Woman's Clubhouse in Monrovia.

Dr. Simpson, who has been serving as the final Lieutenant-Governor of Division 10, which has been split into two divisions because of its rapid growth in the past few years, introduced the incoming Club presidents of the district.

Thanking the outgoing officers and clubs of his district for their fine support during the past year, Dr. Simpson pledged his best efforts to Dwight Lydell, incoming Lieutenant-Governor of the newly created Kiwanis Division 15.

Robert H. Green, incoming president of the Sierra Madre club, presented the Lieutenant-Governor's banner to the Monrovia club, whose incoming president, Carroll Kokanour, accepted it for use during Mr. Lydell's term of office.

Many Sierra Madre Kiwanians were among the 200 club members and their wives who attended the ladies' night meeting. Representatives were present from eight clubs, including Monrovia, El Monte, Azusa, Glendora, Pomona, Ontario and Claremont.

For every driver who travels persistently over 70, there is a headstone in some city's graveyard.

### WEATHER

TEMPERATURE			
	Max.	Min.	
December 11th	70°	42°	
December 12th	66°	41°	
December 13th	64°	41°	
December 14th	65°	40°	
December 14th	68°	40°	
December 16th	53°	40°	
December 17th	61°	41°	

RAINFALL		
Season		12.25
Last Season		1.26



## Christmas Tea and Carols Make Festive Send-Off for Rancho Los Amigos Gifts by Sierra Madre Woman's Club

The bringing of gifts for the adults at Rancho Los Amigos Home at the Woman's club yesterday afternoon by members of the club turned out to be a very gay Christmas party. The stage heaped high with gifts looked as though Santa had already visited Sierra Madre.

The club rooms were decorated in the Christmas theme and the tea table festive in winter snow scene. Preceding the card party a short but lovely program of Christmas music was given by a quartet of club members, Mesdames Olsen, Wilcox, Kortkamp, Billheimer and Lange with Ann Wilcox at the piano. The entire club

membership joined in a group of carols accompanied by a new member of the club, Mrs. Sidney Hamill, Mrs. Hamill, who recently came to Sierra Madre to make her home, living at 380 North Lima, is a former president of the Culver City Woman's club.

The chairman of the Christmas project was Mrs. Wm. Stoddard, who, with the club's president, Mrs. Ora Olsen, and Mrs. Roselle Wilson, are delivering the generous quantity of gifts and money to the Home today. Mrs. Stoddard has been assisted by Mrs. Gildersleeve, Mrs. Bissell, Mrs. Walters, Mrs. Turnbull and Mrs. Heasley.

## The Lee Shippeys at Home for Sunday Buffet Supper

A reception and buffet supper Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shippey at 297 Toyon Drive honored their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shippey, who were married November 24 at the Episcopal church in Las Vegas.

Invited to meet the newlyweds, now residing temporarily at 341 No. Auburn Ave., with Miss Louisa Shippey, Mrs. May Beatrice, Messrs. Carl Colt, Dan Shirte, Jr., Alfred James Dewey, Kenneth Kearney, Fred Long and R. E. Thomas, Charles John, and Frank Shippey were also present.

Mrs. Shippey will be remembered as the former Marjorie Heese.

## Holiday Happenings At the Hawks-Wood Family Homes

Mrs. James N. Hawks and daughter, Mrs. Edith Bullwinkle, 80 E. Grandview Ave., are entertaining at a family dinner Christmas day for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hawks and son Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Wood, Mr. and Mrs. David Wood, Alan and Roger Wood, Miss Daisy Hawks and Mrs. Laura Stevenson.

A family reunion at the Randolph Wood home at 38 E. Grandview Ave. for the first time in four years will make the Christmas season a happy one for Mr. and Mrs. Wood who are expecting their sons Alan and Roger home for their mid-year vacations.

Alan is a senior at the University of California at Berkeley and Roger, a junior at Stanford, who has just been pledged to Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

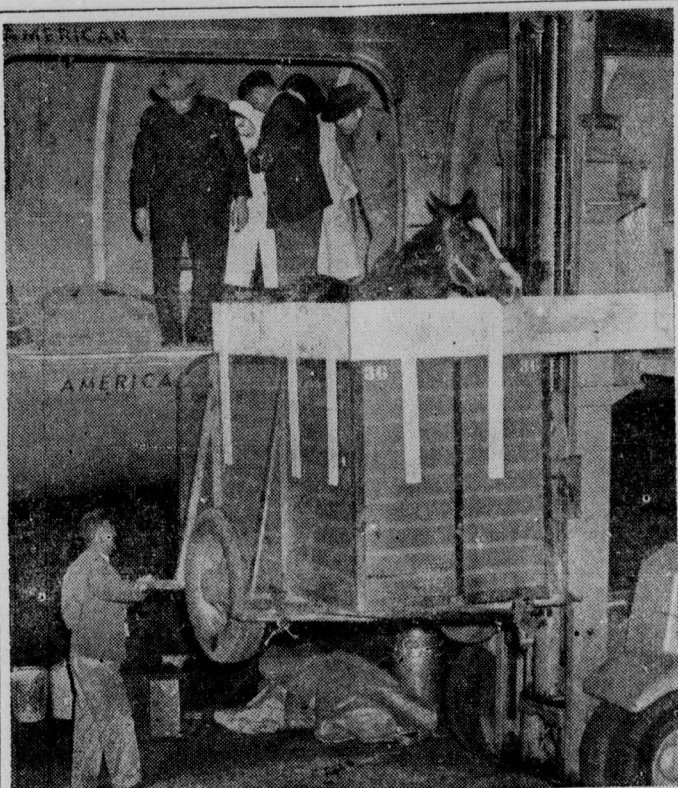
## S. S. Family Dinner Held at Park House

The Church of the Nazarene gave its 2nd Sunday School family night at the Park House with a planned potluck Friday night arranged by Mrs. Anna Bass.

The program was a playette presented by the school under the supervision of Mrs. Melba Sandys. The penny Banks were opened during the evening and netted more than \$26 which goes to the Sunday School Building Fund. The school needs added rooms and space for its growing membership.



**CIVILIAN ATOMIC ENERGY CONTROL COMMISSION MEETS...** Members of the all-civilian domestic atomic control commission, left to right: William W. Waymack, Des Moines, Iowa; Chairman David E. Lilienthal, Washington, D. C.; Lewis L. Strauss, New York City; Sumner T. Pike, Lubec, Maine; and Robert F. Bacher, Ithaca, N. Y., shown as they met to work in collaboration with the United Nations atomic commission on international phases of atomic energy.



**A MODERN PEGASUS**, one of six Irish thoroughbreds flown all the way from Shannon, Ireland, to Los Angeles, Calif., shown being lowered from an American Airlines plane by portable elevator at airport. He is "Great Faith," \$28,000 animal imported by E. B. Johnston of Montecito, Calif., who will race him at Santa Anita. It was the first time in history that horses had been flown overseas.

## Navy Mothers Give Christmas Party at YMCA

A cordial welcome will be given to all Navy Mothers and their families this evening when the Pasadena Navy Mothers' Club gives its annual Christmas party. The affair will be given in the club rooms of the YMCA by Chapter 114.

## Pupils and Mothers Guests at St. Rita's Christmas Party

A Christmas party at St. Rita's school was given Monday by the Mothers' club and St. Rita's Altar Society with Mrs. Nita Twedell in charge of arrangements for the 140 students and their mothers who were present for the occasion.

Festivities included a surprise shower of canned goods for the Sisters of the school, Christmas stockings distributed to the children by Santa Claus and the singing of carols.

**BAPTISM AT CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION**  
Sunday afternoon, December 15, Holy Baptism was administered by Father Smith in the Episcopal church to Dale M. Turnbull, Martha Jeanette Compas, Albert Milton Peterson, Robert Benton Matter, Virginia Lois Kelly and Frances Lois Kelly. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Caron were sponsors.

## Ask the Professor

By H. P. Noake

Dear Prof.: Do you believe that there's a skeleton in every closet?  
Ans.: Last time I looked in mine the nearest thing to one was the remains of a moth-eaten suit.



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## Edwards-Murphy Wedding Solemnized at Mission Inn Chapel Friday Evening

Marriage vows were exchanged Friday evening in Riverside by Miss Dorothy Edwards and Joseph A. Murphy. The popular couple were married by Dr. Stanley S. McKee, pastor of the Riverside First Methodist church, in the Mission Inn's Chapel of St. Cecilia at 9:00 o'clock.

The bride chose a blue wool suit with smoke colored hat and gloves. Her shoes and handbag were navy blue. Her matron of honor was Mrs. Hesta M. Damon and Mr. Dean Damon was the best man.

Several friends from Sierra Madre attended the wedding. Following a brief wedding trip to Palm Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy will make their home in this city. Mrs. Murphy has many friends in the office of the City Clerk where she has been for some time and Mr. Murphy has been associated with the personnel of the Roberts Market.

## LONA BARON ROBERTSON STUDIO TURNS TO XMAS THEME FOR TRAINING

A pre-Christmas party extending through Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week at the studio of Lona Baron Robertson, 273 E. Alegria Ave., will feature social and holiday activities for her music students.

There will be a Christmas tree with gifts, corn popping and toasting of marshmallows. Combining art with music at the studio for character development, some of the students this year have enjoyed making their own Christmas cards and other articles under the direction of Mrs. Robertson.

## Civic Club Has Yule Party at Studio Tonight

The Sierra Madre Civic Club is holding its annual Christmas party at the Arts Guild this evening, the husbands to be the guests. The festivities will include refreshments and an exchange of gifts. Tuesday evening the club dispensed gifts and music at the Olive View Sanitarium.

**SIERRA MADRE LODGE F. & A. M.**  
No. 408  
Stated Meetings First Tuesday, Temple 33 E. Sierra Madre Blvd.  
John Buchan, Master

Add a few drops of ammonia to the water when washing greasy dishes and roasting pans. It will help them to come clean quicker.

## HOLLYWOOD Glenn Shipley SAN FRANCISCO

Beginning Classes for Adults and Children in

## Modern Ballroom Dancing

RHUMBA SAMBA NEW YORKER BOOGIE  
TANGO FOX TROT WALTZ

Because classes will be limited it will be necessary to register on or before January 4th

Adults— Monday, January 6th, 8 P. M.

Children— Saturday, January 11th

## STUDIO OF DRAMATIC ARTS

Woman's Club Building Tele. CUster 5-8251

## Church of the Ascension

EPISCOPAL  
Corner North Baldwin Avenue at Laurel



## Christmas Services

December 24—Christmas Eve

11:30 P. M.—Festival Midnight Eucharist.

December 25—Christmas Day

8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.

9:30 A. M.—Procession, Choral Eucharist and Sermon, and Benediction.  
Music by the Children's Choir.

11:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.

The Rev. Harley G. Smith, Jr., Rector

A cordial welcome is extended to worship with us at the Christmas Services.

## ROYAL DRUG STORE -- Sierra Madre

# Christmas Gift Suggestions

FOR HIM	FOR HER	GENERAL GIFTS
SEAFORTH GIFT SETS \$1.00 to \$7.00	Colognes, Perfumes LUCIEN LELONG \$1.25 - \$4.50	LUXOR ROSE BUD SOAP \$1.00
CARGO MEN'S SETS \$1.50 to \$4.50	COTY \$1.85 - \$3.50	PARFAIT SACHET DOLLS \$1.00
SPORTSMAN FOR MEN \$1.00 to \$7.50	ANDALUSIA \$1.75 - \$8.50	COLONIAL DAMES BUBBLE BATH \$1.00
OLD SPICE FOR MEN \$1.00 to \$3.75	TWEED - MIRACLE SHANGHAI \$1.50 - \$2.50	PERFUME BOTTLES 98c - \$1.50
MONOGRAM INITIALED TOILETRIES \$2.00 to \$8.00	TABU - 20 carat - Platine \$5.25	BATH MITT and SOAP \$1.25
PARKER "51" PENS \$12.50 to \$15.00	FRIENDSHIP GARDEN OLD SPICE \$1.00	CIGARETTE BOX and 2 ASH TRAYS \$2.95
EVERSHARP "CA" PENS \$15.00	CORDAY - JET \$1.75 - \$3.15	NYLON HAIR BRUSHES \$2.98 - \$7.50
KELTON WRIST WATCHES \$8.95 - \$9.95	GOLLIWOG BEAU CATCHER \$1.50 - \$2.75	XMAS TREE ORNAMENTS 10c
MAYFAIR RADIOS \$25.95 to \$79.50	4711 - COLOGNE \$1.25	GIFT WRAPPING 10c - \$1.00
ALL LEATHER WALLETS \$1.00 - \$10.50	LANVIN - MY SIN SCANDAL \$5.00	XMAS CARDS 20 Cards 39c 20 Cards 59c 20 Cards 79c 20 Cards 97c
PIPES - BOX CIGARS TOBACCO POUCHES TOBACCO CIGARETTE LIGHTERS CANDIES	WHITE SHOULDERS \$4.50 - \$8.50	
	EVENING IN PARIS \$1.10 - \$3.75	

## LIQUOR SUGGESTIONS FOR XMAS AND NEW YEARS

Scotches	BENEDICTINE	Bonded Whiskies
HAIG & HAIG PINCH BLACK & WHITE MARTIN'S V.V.O. BALLENTINE'S KING WILLIAM VSQ OLD MALCOLM KING'S RANSOM JOHNNY WALKER	\$8.82 COINTREAU \$5.88 Christian Bros. BRANDY and WINES Bellows - Hill & Hill Kings - 4 Roses Seagram's and all other Brands at Regular Prices	FRASIER GORDON MILL VALLEY RAMS HEAD Regular \$7.98 I. W. HARPER 5th Gal. \$7.98 OLD FITZGERALD \$7.49 OLD FORESTER \$7.98 ANCIENT AGE \$6.29

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—Mrs. Edith Churchill, mother.  
—Jack Henby, uncle.

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LADY'S full length Antelope fur coat, size 14-16. Never worn. RCA Victor console radio, mahogany case. Both reasonable. 183 N. Lima. E:12-19.

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PIANOS for rent, C. J. Gould, 967 E. Colorado St., Pasadena, SYcamore 6-8189.

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## LOST AND FOUND

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LOST—Rhinstone barrette, belonged to grandmother, at Fireman's Dance. Reward. Custer 5-8363. G:12-19.

## WANT TO RENT

Would someone please rent us any kind of a house so our daughter, Beverly, can finish school, 6 months would be enough. The Studens, 52 E. Highland, Phone 8292. L:12-19.

COUPLE wish house or apartment so they may have their 2 children with them. Phone SY. 2-9774, ask for Marie, between 7:00 a. m. and 3:00 p. m. L:12-19.

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A friendly thought is the purest gift that man can afford to man.—Carlyle.

Advice to parents of little children: One of the best ways to correct children is to correct the example you are setting them.

## On The Feminine Side

by Dorothy Collins  
NBC Fashion Editor

New York—Everyone has apartment troubles these days. Even after she found an apartment in crowded Manhattan, NBC's Florence Williams soon discovered that furnishings and accessories were way beyond her pocketbook.

But Florence (she is in the cast of "Front Page Farrell") is a determined young woman, so she got busy and made some practical substitutes for high priced articles.

For instance, she found that mirrors were very expensive, so she bought an old fashioned vanity for \$12 and had the three mirrors cut apart. The two sets of drawers she uses in her bathroom for storing towels.

Florence is like all home-loving women. She wants beautiful table appointments, and one of her most cherished loves was a lace table cloth—but the price was prohibitive. So she bought a couple of yards of lace curtain material and made one very reasonably.

Lamps were another expensive item on Florence's budget, so she had an electrician wire three gallon jugs and then she filled the base of them with water colored with dye and with the addition of shades, she had three amusing lamps for the price of one.

STUDIO NOTES... Fair-haired Ruth Coltrane, who plays Fred Warren, says she likes her simple dark dress with bright scarves. She wears one tucked in the throat of the suit, and a matching one tied gypsy fashion around her hair... Gracie Allen has one of the finest collections of old shoes and pottery in Hollywood... Winifred Wells, who plays Teddy in "One Man's Family," likes to dress up her black cocktail dresses with colored gloves. Her favorites are a pair of agate blue suede which she wears with a matching agate necklace on a high-necked black dress... Pert Jean Mowry has carried the trend toward the complete costume over into her evening wardrobe. She has a stunning evening coat and dress ensemble styled by Eisenberg of Chicago Fashion Industries. The dress is black and figure-molding with multi-colored sequin straps. The matching coat is fingertip length with tuxedo borders of the same sequins... It takes a former model, like NBC's lovely Latin-looking Mary Patton, to know make-up tricks for photography. To make her eyes look bigger she lightly outlines the corner of each eyelid with an eyebrow pencil. And to make her eyes sparkle, she rubs a bit of cold cream right under the eyebrow. To avoid that "frozen look," Mary says the best trick of all is to think about what you are going to give your husband for dinner, or to recite the multiplication tables slowly... If anything that will take your mind off of YOU.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF STOCK IN BULK

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This Notice of intention to sell a stock of goods in bulk—

Witnesseth that notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 3440 of the Civil Code of the State of California, that the undersigned L. H. Cowan, Gale and Edward A. Pratt of 3684 E. Colorado St., City of Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, intend to sell to Fred C. Goebel and Carrie Goebel, husband and wife, and William C. Goebel, a single man, as joint tenants all that certain stock of merchandise consisting generally of Stock in trade, fixtures, equipment and goodwill of a business known as Cowan Dairy Store, belonging to said L. H. Cowan, Gale Cowan and Edward A. Pratt and located at 44 North Baldwin Ave., City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that a transfer and assignment of the same will be made, and the purchase price thereof will be paid, on the 26th day of December, 1946, at The Bank of Sierra Madre, City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, at 10 o'clock A. M. That the address of said vendor is 3684 E. Colorado St., City of Pasadena, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and the address of said vendee is 640 Beulah Ave., Glendale, California, City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Dated December 16, 1946, Gale Cowan, L. H. Cowan, and Edward A. Pratt, Vendor.

(Nov. 19.) S5766  
NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
No. 256454  
Estate of Zemosuke Torii, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, BEN H. BROWN, Administrator of the Estate of Zemosuke Torii, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office at 524 North Spring St., Los Angeles 12, California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file claims, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated November 25, 1946. BEN H. BROWN, Public Administrator, County of Los Angeles. 11-28, 12-5, 12-19.

After sowing are peat moss and steer manure. This protective covering should be light and kept thoroughly wetted down.

Moisture in the soil is essential to seed germination. If the ground is allowed to dry out, the germinating qualities of the seed will be greatly undermined and the entire sowing may have to be repeated. After the grass has come up it should be watered regularly. If the days warm up very much it may be necessary to sprinkle as often as twice a day during the formative period. A light sprinkling is required, as a heavy stream of water may wash the seed away.

Your entire premises may appear unattractive if your lawn area is not maintained properly. When growth becomes spotty, it is necessary to restore the shabby areas.

Where it has given good results the same variety or mixture planted for the original lawn should be utilized for repairing it, but if the lawn grass has not succeeded then it would be wise to inquire from your seedsmen for a grass seed mixture better suited to your location.

The first step in repairing a lawn usually consists in removing Bermuda grass, if this has crept in, and destroying other undesirable strains. It may be necessary to dig up the bad spots in order to destroy all alien plant growth. By churning the soil to a depth of several inches all foreign matter will be displaced and may then be brought to the surface for immediate removal. At the same time insects that lurk in the ground will also be unearthed and some measure of pest control established.

The ground should be leveled and raked clear of all debris. If the soil seems to be in poor condition it may be advisable to bring in new, clean topsoil. This is not difficult, if small sections of the lawn are being repaired at a time and in the end it may prove most economical.

Lawn seed should not be sown on a windy day. Having little weight of its own, the slightest breeze may blow it off the premises. To insure uniformity and guard against bare spots, sow first in one direction, then at right angles to it. This secures a more equal distribution of the seed over the entire area. From four to six pounds of the average lawn grass mixture should suffice for 1000 square feet.

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SIERRA MADRE NEWS—5

## Joe Swanson Bearer Of Good News

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## Church of the Ascension Opens Christmas Season With Midnight Service December 24th

The midnight Choral Eucharist will again be celebrated at the Episcopal Church of the Ascension on Christmas Eve, December 24th, beginning at 11:30. The choir with Mrs. Elizabeth Farrow at the organ will sing the traditional Christmas carols. The music of the Mass by Peter Lutkin will be sung.

**PRELUDES**  
Noel in G—Daquin.  
Jesu Bambino—P. Yon.  
Bass solo by James Pettit.  
Devilium Mysterium—Miles Martin.  
Offertory Anthem—"There Were Shepherds"—Vincent.  
Soprano Solo—Madeleine Shippey.  
Postlude.  
Fanfare—Lemmens.

On Christmas Day there will be Holy Communion at 8:00 a. m. At 9:30 a. m. Festival Choral Eucharist will be sung by the Children's Choir with Mrs. Ellen Davenes directing. They will sing the Mass composed by Dean A. G. H. Bode and the Anthem "Bethlehem," a folk song of Galaz, 1791 by Dan Shubert. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the Mass.

At 11:15 a. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated with Fr. Robert Crane as celebrant. Holy Communion will be administered at all the services and the Rector will preach at mid-night and 9:30 a. m. Christmas Day on the Christmas Story.

### CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Christmas Season will begin on Sunday night, December 22, at 8:00 p. m., when there will be an old fashioned Christmas Party for the Parish and friends. There will be a pageant by the Church School, carols, a Christmas tree and a visit from Santa Claus to climax the evening. Decorations for the Parish House and church are in charge of the Men's club and Vestry with Maurice Perkins as chairman. The young people of the Parish will arrange the Christmas tree and decorate it under the chairmanship of Tom Henze.

A. M. Caron and Herbert Parrish are in charge of the stage scenery which has been made especially for the pageant, and Robert Crowell will handle the lighting effects.

The Junior Choir under the direction of Mrs. Ellen Davenes will sing the musical portions of the pageant. Those participating are: Constance and Kathleen Perkins, Robert Matter, Bruce Brunstad, Flo-rece and Tony Pascoe, Samuel Bradshaw, Patric Sewall, Franklin Bradshaw, Irene Snell, Patricia Crowell, Margaret Farrow, Valerie Tyron, Deborah Dedrick.

The Senior Choir with Mrs. Elizabeth Farrow directing will sing the anthems and carols. St. Catherine's Guild made and furnished the costumes and the St. Anne's Altar Guild and Angelus Guild will be in charge of the refreshments. The Woman's Auxiliary arranged with Santa Clause to leave a gift under the tree for each boy and girl as well as a box of candy.

Miss Constance Campbell is again directing the pageant and those taking parts are:

Shepherds: Tom Lumsdon, Mike O'Donnell, Carlin Smith, Richard Peterson, Michael Hutchinson and Walter Dedrick.

Angels: Michael Hawks, Tom Archibald, Stephen Davis and Corliss Ware.

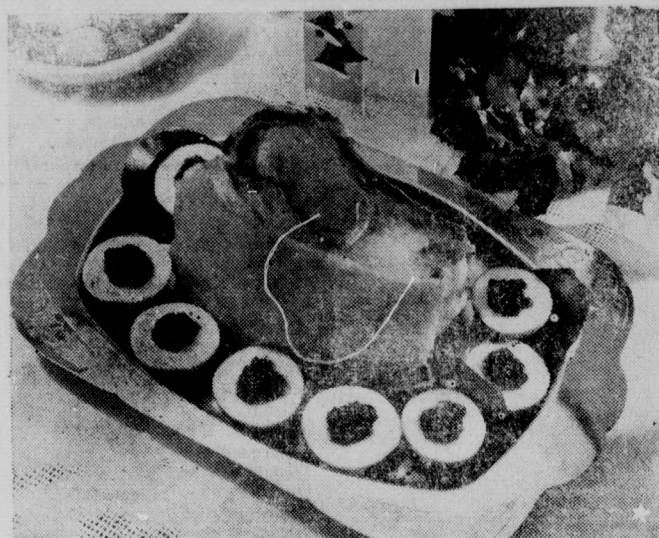
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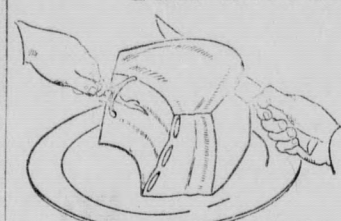
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## IDEAL HOLIDAY ROAST

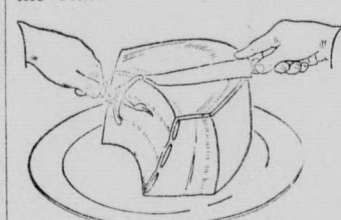


It's a festive meal, indeed, when you serve a standing rib roast of beef. Here is a roast that well deserves to be a favorite for holidays, because it offers the utmost in fine flavor and delicious tenderness. To do the roast justice, cook it in an open, shallow pan in a slow oven. Golden apple rings, with a spoonful of cranberry sauce in the center, make an attractive and colorful garnish for either Christmas or New Year's Day dinner.

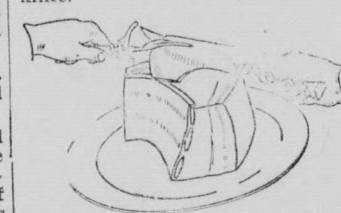
## How To Carve Your Holiday Rib Roast



Insert carving fork firmly between two top ribs. Then slice across the grain of the meat, cutting from the outer edge toward the rib side of the roast.



Release each slice by cutting close along the rib with the carving knife.



Lift slice on blade of knife to side of platter, or to another hot platter. Carve slices for all before transferring to individual plates.

Peterson, Paul Caron.

Don Nichols, assisted by Tom Henze and Larry Borneman, are in charge of stage and properties.

**BISHOP STEVENS PREACHES AT EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

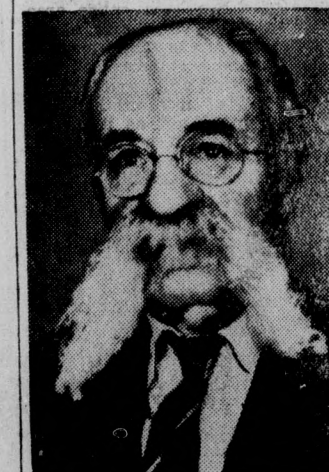
The Rt. Rev. W. Bertrand Stevens, D.C., Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Los Angeles, will visit the Church of the Ascension, corner North Baldwin at Laurel, to confirm a large class of candidates at 11:00 a. m. Sunday, December 22. The Bishop will also preach the sermon at the Choral Eucharist. This is the second class to receive the Sacrament of Holy Confirmation this year. They will be presented by the rector, Father Smith.

After the Eucharist the Bishop will dedicate a stained glass window of the Nativity Scene given by the Hawks family in memory of James Hawks.

Following the service the Bishop will greet the class and the Parishioners in the Parish House. Those confirmed receive First Solemn Holy Communion at the Christmas services.

## POLICE BLOTTER

A dog hit by a car could not be found. . . A parked car in front of home creates anxiety. . . Art Ubel gets in his regular report on the number of street lights that are out. . . Chickens killed by dogs again! . . . Door to door salesman looks suspicious and is contacted by the police. . . Lame animals being used for work called to the attention of Fred Lewis, the cop, and he investigated. . . Stray dog. . . Children again destroying windows and doors at the closed bath house at the swimming pool. Parents should be warned by this time as to the possible penalty. . . 'Twas found that the child who drank a strange liquid from a glass was all right after he sobered up. The glass contained whiskey. He was not taken to the local bastille to be straightened out. . . Before a drink-



**NATION'S LONGEST** . . . Can you top Atty. J. Wash Adams, 88, Whitesburg, Ky., who has laid claim to the nation's longest mustache. He says each mustache measures approximately 10 inches.

Hesley there to put it out. . . The "Odd Noise" turns out to be another howling dog. This one had something on his bowl. His particular howl was different. . . Here's a dog that's goin' around in circles. That's the only way he could go. He was tied to a peg. . . An old fashioned door to door beggar was in town. He soon found it unprofitable. . . Burning out of hours. You had better be careful about this. The Ordinance "agin" it, is still effective. . . Water main leaking. Call out the boys! . . . The Happy Family have a little quarrel. Occurs in the best of families. . . A warrant to be served for Los Angeles Police Department. . . Keys found. . . A girl who found and returned to the office of police a wallet is rewarded by the owner. . . Johnnie, age three, and Bobbie, age four, left home for a stroll and landed at the city pumping plant. Ben Mobley, there, wanted very much to keep them but he called the cops. They were far from home and Fred Lewis returned them. . . Nachio Haines, age 14, found a purse containing several large bills and brought it to the station. The name of the owner was found inside and the purse returned. The lady owner was very grateful and commended the boy for his honesty. . . A big police dog continues to annoy neighbors. . . A car lost in the fog ran into the ditch. . . Suspicious noise at rear of store sends for the police. A possible stop. Good support. . . A boy got his finger stuck in a wire fence. He was gone on the arrival of the coppers. The finger was gone also, so the boy must have taken it with him attached. . . Lady whose father was stricken called for help. Police arrived

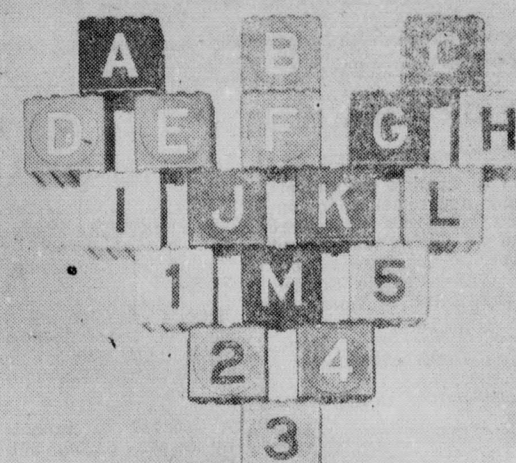
and man was placed in bed. . . Our intersections are heavily burdened with traffic during the early evening hours. Drivers are urged to use all caution to prevent traffic accidents. Before entering an intersection, it is wise and profitable to stop, look and listen. STOP signs would be needless if all drivers were careful and alert. We must observe rules because if we don't, there's no use trying to ask the other fellow to do it. There is a type that is thoughtless of his neighbors and for this type we have all sorts of rules and regulations, therefore we must always be on the look out for them in order to get home safely.

## ROUND THE TOWN

◆ Ralph Pierce, 474 Woodland Drive, returned Friday from a four day trip to San Fernando, Bakersfield and Fresno. Friday night he attended the magician's show at the Ebell club in Los Angeles.

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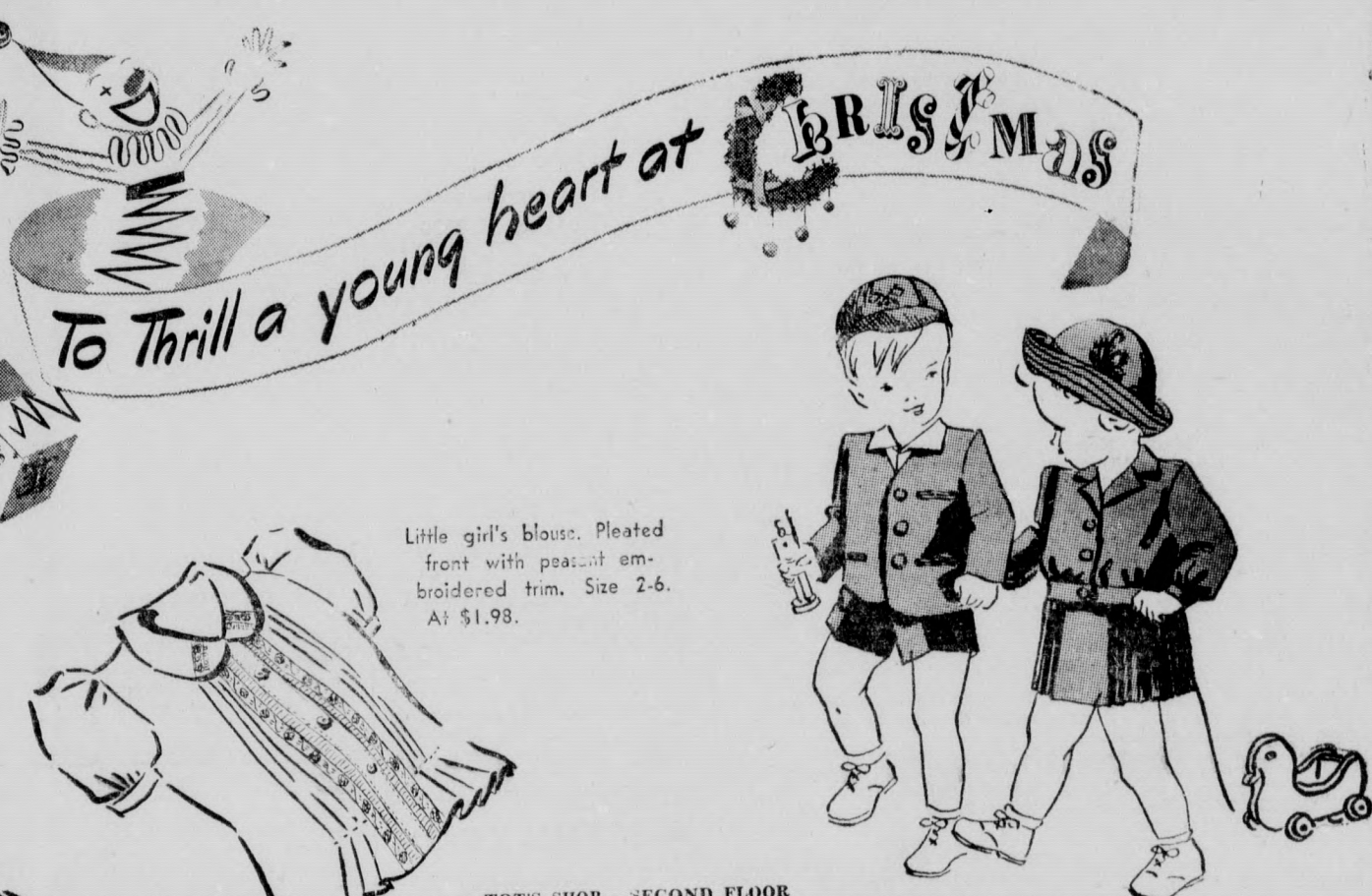
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## Christmas Parties and Teas Dominate Girl Scout Plans

With the Christmas spirit in the air little Brownies and Intermediate Scouts are enjoying Christmas parties and teas as planned by Leaders and mothers.

The first of these affairs was the delightful combined Christmas Tea and Court of Awards when Troop 3 entertained their mothers and council members last Monday at the Congregational Church. Joy Thompson greeted the guests and conducted them to a book display which proved to be very interesting. Valerie Valencia had the honor of having the oldest book on display, a copy of Jane Eyre, published in 1847. Miss Lulu Moore, assisted the girls with the project. Mrs. Ralph Valencia presided at the lovely Christmas tea table. Mrs. Philip Woodworth, leader, gave an interesting talk on the troop, past accomplishments and future prospects.

The six girls receiving clothing badges, Susan Marmion, Mary Ann Reynolds, Valerie Valencia, Margaret Woodworth, Jean Polgreen, Sally Latson and Marilyn Miller. Mrs. Marmion trained the girls for these badges.

Valerie Valencia received the photography badge. Swimming badges were presented to Susan Marmion, Mary Ann Reynolds, Valerie Valencia and Sally Latson. Four girls received life saving badges, Margaret Woodworth, Susan Marmion, Jean Polgreen and Jean Meador. Shirley Peterson presented the twenty troop members with their Cardinal Troop Crest, after which the girls gave folk dance numbers in costume accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Mallory at the piano.

The new Brownie Troop No. 11 has Mrs. Marjorie Barter and Mrs. Curtis Vein as leaders. Mrs. Joseph Barnes is assisting in the Christmas party for the Brownies who are making all their own decorations. Troop 9 and 10 took a hike recently to Sierra Madre Dam accompanied by Wm. Mallory and Mrs. Dan Strite. Moving pictures were taken of the trip.

Last Tuesday Troop No. 6 held a World Friendship tea at the home of Mrs. Betty Conzelman 635 E. Grandview. The menu consisted of cakes and cookies particular to some country across the sea. Mrs. Don Parker was a special guest. She wore a lovely Swedish costume that she brought back last summer. Mrs. Parker delighted the group with moving pictures of Norway and Sweden. The Troop packed a Christmas box of clothing, candy and games for a family in Finland in connection with the earning of their World Friendship badge.

Troop 4 and 5 held their Christmas party this week at the Congregational church. Carol singing, a tree and each received a Scout hankie as a gift.

Christmas festivities will terminate with the Christmas Caroling. Girls will meet at the Firemen's Christmas tree Dec. 23 at 7 p. m. Community singing will be enjoyed around the tree, then the groups will visit shut-ins and end their tour at The British Home. The finale will be refreshments in various homes. Mrs. Wm. Mallory is in charge of the singing.

## Flowers for Fall Are Led By Sweet Peas

Cut flowers add charm and dignity to the interior of your home. If you have an adventuresome nature you'll gain a real thrill in growing for the first time a new flower or one of a novel color.

There are flowers for every garden, and the range of colors, sizes and individual styles is ever on the increase. With every passing year the floriculturists and hybridists are bringing to the public new introductions. It might well be said that Solomon, who found nothing new under the sun, was not interested in flowers, for there is always something new in this field.

Growing flowers from seed is a



Winter Flowering Sweet Peas Are Popular.

comparatively easy matter. You have your choice of annuals, biennials and perennials. The first group includes plants that complete their entire life cycle in one growing season; biennials may require two growing periods while the perennial varieties maintain their growth year after year on a more or less permanent basis.

There is no "closed season" for planting flower seeds in most areas of the Pacific Coast. Of course, the desert areas and mountainous regions are obvious exceptions, but in such localities the population also is usually quite sparse. Although some varieties have their own special planting period, there are many that may be grown almost throughout the year.

For the majority of the usual garden subjects it is not necessary to spend a great deal of time and money in soil preparation. Many of the flowering specimens are quite tough. Unfortunately, many amateurs over-do their gardening chores. Sometimes plants are spoiled by over-indulgence.

Winter flowering sweet peas are popular subjects for fall planting. It is possible to plant seed in October and even later in many regions along the Pacific Coast. The blooms have a habit of appearing even after the temperature drops to what might be considered an extremely low point. If you live in a cool section be sure to plant winter-flowering strains.

The colors are exceedingly rich and lovely, the stems long and wiry. During the flowering period it is important that the blooms be cut continuously. This not only prevents the blooming period but prolongs the energy of the plant from being diverted into seed production.

Pansies do especially well during the cooler months of the year. The plants apparently enjoy an open exposure to the sun, backed up by plenty of water. However, pansies will also do exceptionally well in shady locations. Plant food is of real significance if giant-sized blooms are anticipated. The Swiss strains usually grow taller and are

## Fresh Water Daily Makes Cut Flowers Last Longer

The life of most cut flowers may be lengthened considerably by re-mooving them carefully from the parent plant. The best time for cutting is during the morning hours. That's when the plant stems are exceedingly turgid and evaporation has reached its lowest point. Flowers then have stored up in their cells a great amount of moisture and this increases their longevity after being removed from the parent plant.

The implement used for cutting should be extremely sharp. If possible, it should cut like a razor. Don't use a pair of scissors that has outlived its usefulness. A ragged stem will result, and this may materially shorten the flower's life. The cut flower absorbs moisture through its stem and the stem end is ragged or mashed there is little chance of rapid moisture absorption. It is best to cut slantwise, rather than straight across.

As soon as possible after planting the flowers into a deep container filled with cold water. Leave the flowers in this receptacle for several hours before attempting to arrange them in the vase. This allows the flowers to soak up all the moisture required and provides them with a healthy start for their indoor life.

A small piece of charcoal should be placed in the vase to keep the water fresh. If possible, change

duce larger flowers than others, and they require are old-time favorites. Often they are called winter marigolds, although their specific name is supposed to be derived from the fact that they grow during any month of the calendar. Calendulas thrive in an open exposure, requiring very little care or attention. In cold climates this flower may be utilized as a pot plant.

Stocks are another cool weather crop. In many varieties practically every color in the rainbow is represented. During the winter months they may be started in a flat or shallow pan. The seedlings should be grown for several weeks in a sheltered location before being transplanted to their permanent location in the outdoor garden. The seed should be covered with about one-eighth of an inch of fine soil and then kept constantly moist. The seedlings may be highy recommended both for general garden use as well as for cut flowers within the home.

Other possibilities for fall culture include petunias, penstemon, violas, larkspurs, gaillardias and ageratum.

Local Gun Club to Have Election of Officers Friday p. m.

Twelve members of the Santa Anita Rifle Club of Sierra Madre went to the Burbank Rifle Range for a record shoot at 200 yards. A cold day and being very much out of practice held the score down but the club felt it was a worthy showing. Stanley Coutant with highest score, 221 qualified as sharpshooter; Ben Stunman, Jessel Rhodes, Edmund Blakeman, Hartman Embree and Oliver Abraham qualified as marksmen.

The next meeting will be December 20th, tomorrow evening, in the City Hall Dugout. It will be election of officers for 1947.

Yale University was founded by 10 ministers of the colony of Connecticut, at Saybrook in 1701. It was moved to New Haven in 1716.

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## Top Quality Peas Can Be Grown in Cool Weather

Peas definitely are a cool weather crop and will tolerate extremely low temperatures before being adversely affected.

This vegetable is not over-sensitive to soil conditions, growing equally well in a wide range of conditions. The planting depth varies considerably, being determined by the exact season as well as the nature of the soil.

During the cooler period of the year and for planting on heavy soil the seed should be set no deeper than one-half inch. In warmer weather and in light soils the seed may be planted as deep as three inches for best results. The deeper planting in lighter soils insures that the plant roots will be closer to their water supply.

It is advisable to plant the seed in single rows and this is especially true if the vines are to be trained on a trellis. Space the rows thirty inches apart, or a closer planting may prove disastrous. Crowding peas or any other crop is not very good gardening technique. It is better to have good quality peas than a larger quantity of ill-formed, sickly-looking pods. The seed may be planted in fairly wide furrows to prevent the possibility of crowding.

If the soil is thoroughly irrigated prior to planting there will be sufficient moisture in the soil to bring the seedlings above the surface. Sprinkling the surface after planting may cause a crust to form on the surface. This may hinder the seedlings when they try to push

above the soil level. If possible, hold off watering until the young plants are approximately two inches high.

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## Needlecraft News

by Nancy Baxter

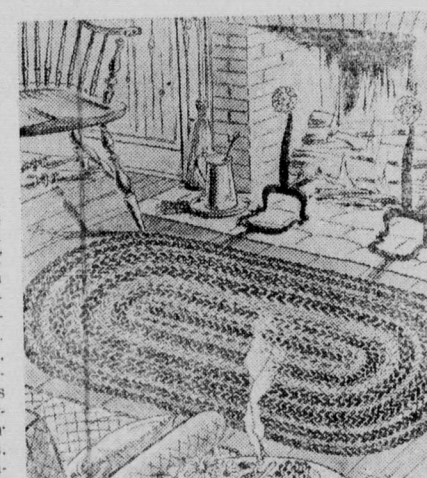
THE few remaining New England and Southern Colonial settlements comparatively unaltered by the years are the very essence of things American. These are the homes you copy when you want your home furnished in the American Colonial style. Because this type home is so

charming, and because so many families prefer to furnish their homes in this style, we thought you would be interested in knowing a little of its origin.

While Georgian England was asserting its 18th Century elegance, Colonial America was holding its own. By the middle of the 18th Century even the lesser of our Colonial gentlemen were demanding a considerable degree of refinement in their homes. England was, of course, still considerably in advance of America in its furniture styles and architecture. However, our Colonial cabinet-makers, many of them English-trained, were creditably on their own and produced pieces that compared favorably with those of the land across the sea.

Colonial homes of stone, brick and wood were expanding in girth with larger rooms; in dignity with architectural detail, classic columns, pilasters and arches both inside and out; in beauty and comfort in every respect. Wallpaper had been imported since 1737, and manufactured in America since 1763, so that both large and small homes had their scenic walls or Queen Anne or Chinese flower patterns. Sofas and daybeds were now cushioned. There were tall clocks, mantel clocks and beveled mirrors. Windows were larger and woodwork was painted red, mustard, gray-blue or cream.

Decorative accessories increased in variety and numbers also. Draperies boasted valances, swags and jabots elaborately fringed-trimmed. Velvet, damask and taffetas were brought from Italy and France. Leather, black-printed linen and cotton, cashmere, calico and chintz were also commonly used. All these accessories and furnishings combined to make an environment that



was charming, colorful and honeyed. If Colonial is the style of your preference, other than adding a few modern conveniences, the Colonial pattern of yesterday can still hold steadfast to tradition. To live with it swells your justified pride in things American.

Today we have a design taken right from the Colonial Period. The manors in those days used oriental rugs throughout, while the smaller homes made use of handloomed rugs. No matter in what style the homes of today are furnished they can all make use of a handy and attractive braided rug. It will add a note of old-fashioned charm to your bedroom, hall, living or dining room. A braided rug may be oval, round or square and can be made from old stockings and rags. The rug may be made as large as your rags will carry you, and it can be enlarged from time to time. If you would like to receive this direction leaflet called BRAIDED RUG RUG, just send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Department of this paper, asking for Leaflet No. S 13-40.

## SCHOOL MILK PRICE PEGGED BY PTA ACTION

84 Christmas Boxes Sent Overseas Children by S. M. School Pupils

Acting to keep the price of milk sold in the school cafeteria at five cents, members of the P.T.A. executive board voted Thursday night to absorb the additional cost of the milk and also to pay for straws and paper napkins.

Plans were announced for a forthcoming course on the prevention and control of tooth decay through nutrition, at which specialists in the fields of nutrition and preventive dentistry will speak. Dates of the lectures, which will be held once each week in the evening, will be announced later.

Mrs. Everett Carver, Junior Red Cross chairman, reported that 84 Christmas boxes were packed and shipped overseas by children at the Sierra Madre school, a much greater response than last year. For the first time, form letters were signed and placed in the boxes by the children contributing to them.

Try as it might, the OPA hasn't yet been able to put a ceiling on houses. About as far as the average builder can get is the basement.

## MOTOR TUNE UP

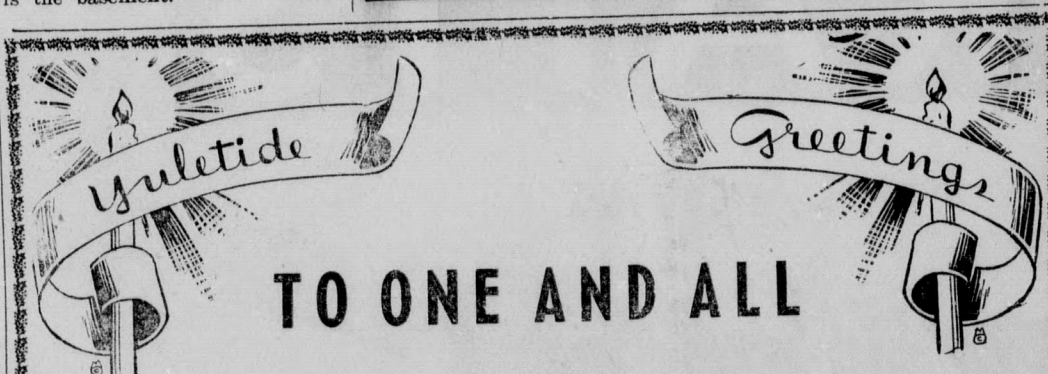
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Crosse & Blackwell's, old fashioned Egg nog, pt. \$1.74  
Pete Hagen's Rye, fifth \$3.50  
Coronet Brandy, fifth \$4.49  
Seagram's Gin, fifth \$3.62  
Harwood's, fifth \$6.17  
Corby's Reserve, fifth \$3.48  
Calvert's Reserve, pints \$2.47  
Old Mission Brandy, pts. \$2.85  
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## New "Scroll Ware" Pottery Brings Plant Expansion By Marsh-Fairchild-Suman

Preparations for producing a complete new line of ceramic dinner-pottery to be known as "Scroll Ware", and the increasing popularity of its Petal Ware line is forcing continued expansion at the Marsh-Fairchild-Suman plant on East Montecito. The new ware is designed by A. L. Suman.

Workers are now busy transforming the old dining room, formerly operated by Norman O. Nelson as the Old Adobe Cafe, into additional production space. A new 60 by 16 foot extension on the north side of the plant is rapidly nearing completion. This too will augment the pottery's production facilities.

Conversion of the Old Adobe into a ceramics factory is of interest to many Sierra Madreans who have known the building since it was built by A. D. Hawks as a curing house for lemons. Used successively as a store room and tool house by Councilman W. J. Schiltz, by Alfred James Dewey as an art studio, as a restaurant and as a pottery display room, the historic building will now house skilled workmen producing dinner

ware for distribution throughout the United States.

The many-sloped studio roofs of the plant, built around a patio looking toward the mountains, house one of the most colorful of Southern California's 800 ceramic factories.

In addition to its expansion program the company is busy preparing for the Midwinter Art and Gift Show which will start January 21 at the Los Angeles Biltmore Hotel. Buyers and dealers from all over the United States came to the show last year, and an even larger show is expected this year. Marsh-Fairchild-Suman will be represented as here-to-fore with their standard Petal ware line, as well as the new Scroll ware.

### First Edition '46-7 "Lookout" Off the Press

"Lookout", the school paper published by Anoaia, made its first appearance for the year with the December issue. The publication has the earmarks of a real newspaper with good heading, cuts and illustrations. A new mast head designed by the staff was inaugurated for the 1946-47 editions.

The staff includes Polly Palmer, editor; Sue Cuberson, asst. editor; Jean Hopkins, feature editor; Connie Harper, art editor; Carita Ackerman, sports editor; Lisa Thacker, Rosie Varden, gossip editors and Nancy Nicholson, records.

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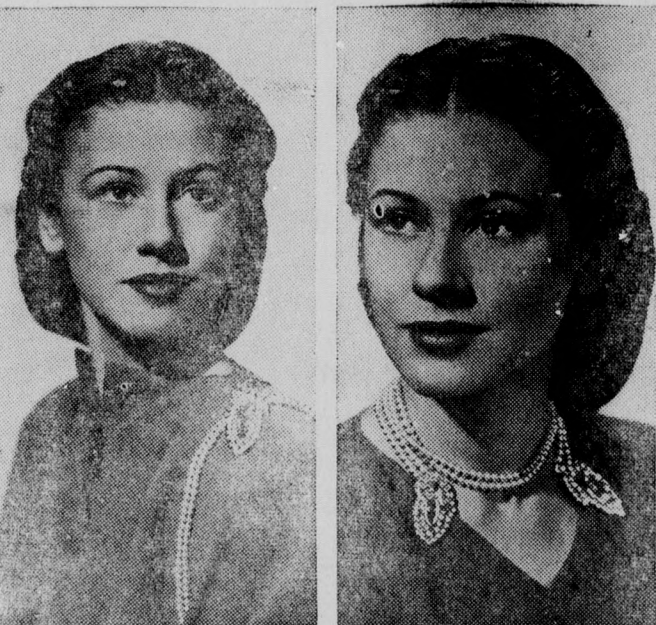
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**DOUBLE DUTY**—Pert Lois Volkman, an NBC starlet, models a Barbara Joan Togs skating outfit which can double nicely as a school frock. The short circular skirt is of bright red plaid and has a wide suspender which goes over one shoulder. In the inset, Lois is shown buttoning on the matching jacket of red wool which has a brief capelet of plaid and long tight sleeves.



**JEWELLED TRICKS**—A smart girl changes many a plain dress with the addition of a double strand of pearls and two jeweled clips. Barbara Moro, NBC actress, demonstrates two of the many variations. The first was inspired by the Fourragere, a French military decoration. Miss Moro looped the pearls under her arm and secured them to the shoulder of her dress with two clips. In the second picture she wound the pearls around her neck and fastened them on either side with the clips. The jewels are a Robert Rohner & Sons design.

### Local Racing

(Continued from page one)

the war, are now eager to raise them.

Pigeon fanciers have not only the pleasure of training the birds and competing in races, but also the satisfaction of training them over to the government during war or other national emergencies.

The Ostermans' '946 racing champion is of course too young to be a war veteran, but one of their birds served with the Seventh Signal Corps, U. S. Army,

which is verified on an "Honorable Discharge" form which states that the bird served his country during World War II.

Losses of birds in pigeon races are particularly high this year with as high as 50 per cent failing to return to their lofts from races, Osterman said. This is attributed to hunters, as well as to such predatory birds as hawks and crows, and a lesser ratio of inadequate training and inferior birds.

A bill to tighten protection of racing pigeons under the State Game laws is due for introduction in the coming legislature. This



**BIRTHDAY PARTY**—For that all-important occasion, Frances Lynn, NBC starlet, chooses a brilliant plaid gingham with a crisp white collar and two pouch pockets in front for that extra hanky.



**COCKTAIL CAPERS**—For those swish cocktail parties around Holiday time, Joan Barton on NBC's "Meet Me at Parky's" has chosen a black watered faille taffeta with a slashed neckline. Three shades of fuchsia poppies bedeck the new three-quarter length skirt.

would go far toward protecting a bird which has served the Nation in war and peace.

The Ostermans find carrier pigeons among the most economical pets that can be maintained. In fact they say that all 32 of the pigeons in their loft together eat an exceedingly small quantity of feed.



**STEPPIN' OUT**—For a special afternoon at the movies with another young friend, NBC's young Frances Lynn wears soft green wool coat cut full with a high round neckline. In her hair is a white velvet bow, and white gloves complete the winter coat ensemble.

### Donald Thayer Guest At Opera Company Musicales Sunday

The Christmas Musicales of the Cosmopolitan Opera Company in Pasadena at which Donald Thayer will be the guest artist of honor will take place at the Huntington Hotel next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m.

The program will include "Prayer Scene" from Cavalleria Rusticana with Miss Nina Borgia, soprano of the Opera Company, and chorus. Other members of the company to be heard are Eleanor Parker, soprano; Nina Fzerenzio, soprano; Joseph Sibera, tenor; others, Christina Marburg, Louisa Ludomiel, Barbara Kirsch, Kathryn Chamliis; Signore Aldo Franchetti, conductor assisted by Dorothy Horton and Forrest Mathews at the piano.

Mr. Thayer will sing, "Silent Night" with the opera chorus. All interested will be welcome to attend.

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Established little more than two years ago, the Eye-Bank has received amazing public response throughout the country. A growing number of people are appreciating the inestimable good that can be rendered a sightless person, by arranging in advance for the use of their own eyes immediately following death.

Purpose of the Eye-Bank is to make available to hospitals and qualified surgeons a supply of fresh or preserved corneal tissue for use in corneal graft operations for restoring sight.

Nearly two-score hospitals are now co-operating in the program on a national scale, restoring sight to a growing number of blind persons.

Objectives of the Eye-Bank have been announced as extending the knowledge and skill necessary to perform the operation, establishing sources of supply of salvaged eyes and corneal tissues and stimulation of interest in research work on blindness resulting from corneal damage.

An eye is sent to the Eye Bank, which makes a complete pathological study and sends a report to the institution which supplied the eye and also makes bacteriological studies for possible contamination.

Eye-Bank officials point out that the success of the program depends upon the generosity of the public and suggests that arranging for the gift of eyes after death should be as natural as arranging for the gift of one's material possessions.

### Mrs. Linda H. Lutes Aged Resident Dies

Mrs. Linda H. Lutes, aged 90, resident of Sierra Madre for the past eight years, passed away Friday, December 13, after a brief illness.

She is survived by three daughters: Mrs. H. C. Shute of Houghton, Mich.; Mrs. C. W. McGaughey of Ionia, Mich., and Mrs. Helen Keith of San Bernardino, Calif.; two granddaughters, Mrs. W. A. Bennett of Chicago and Mrs. James Pino of Los Angeles, a grandson, Robert Keith and one great-granddaughter.

Services are to be announced later, the Grant Chapel in charge.

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While members of volunteer reserve units do not receive pay, they will receive training in skilled trades utilizing the newest and finest of equipment.

Interested applicants may obtain more detailed information from their nearest Naval Recruiting Station, substation, or Naval Reserve unit.

**\$5000 Estate Awaits  
Unknown Person for  
Christmas Present**

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 9.—A Christmas present in the form of an estate of about \$5,000 to which he is unknowingly the heir, is trying to locate and give itself to Charles Francis Swegat, about 56 years old, who was last heard from in Southern California while going under the name of Charles or Frank Ross.

"The Charles Francis Swegat sought," Mr. Cox said, "was born in about 1890, and was said to have changed his name to Ross after family difficulties. There is some evidence that he may have, thereafter, joined the navy, or more probably worked in a southern California navy yard during the war.

"Swegat or Ross is first in line to claim the estate if he is still living. If he is dead, then his widow or surviving descendants may claim the small but tidy fortune."

**PERMANENT CHANGE!** . . . An American soldier, left, is shown explaining duties to a German guard at Darmstadt displaced persons camp. Administration of the D. P. camps now has been assumed by the Germans in new-type uniforms.

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Complete eradication of tuberculosis is the hopeful cry of California Tuberculosis Associations as they conduct their 40th annual Christmas Seal Sale. The above picture appropriately was taken on the movie set of "The Time, The Place and The Girl," "The Time" to buy Christmas Seals—now; "The Place"—your local tuberculosis association; "The Girl"—Janis Paige.

## Park House Scene of Gay Party Saturday

The Park house on Saturday afternoon was the scene of a gay party which celebrated the 7th birthday anniversary of Margaret Annetta Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Carter of 666 Mt. Wilson Trail. Christmas berries and candles, games and carols around the fireplace made the occasion a festive one. Cake and refreshments were served to 25 children.



**ATOMIC RAY SUIT** . . . Miss Dorothy L. Burns, 20, Bloomfield, N. J., who filed suit in Newark federal court for \$200,000, charging exposure to uranium caused seriously impaired health. She is suing a Bloomfield laboratory.

## Rhode Island Guests At S.M. Oldest House

The old ranch house in Cypress Court, which is the oldest home in Sierra Madre, has been remodeled and is being occupied by Mrs. Lillian Smith. With her for the Santa Anita racing season are Mr. and Mrs. Mark DeWese who arrived here Friday from Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Villien, here from New Orleans for a four day visit with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Wynne at 273 Sturtevant Dr., left Thursday for home by way of San Francisco, Salt Lake City and Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman P. Robertson, 546 Sturtevant Dr., spent the week-end at Wrightwood.

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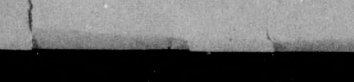
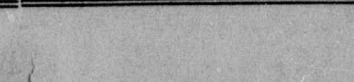
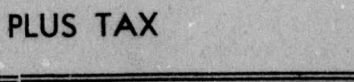
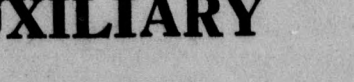
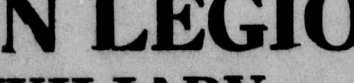
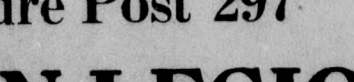
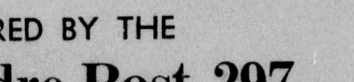
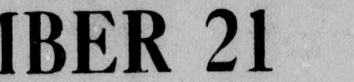
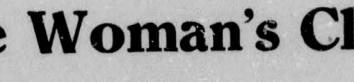
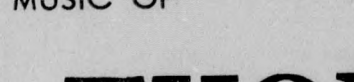
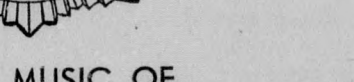
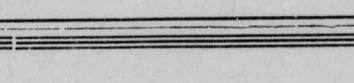
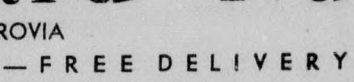
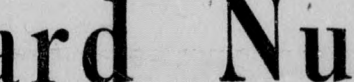
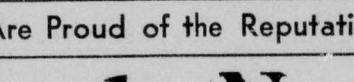
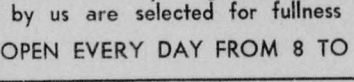
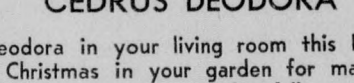
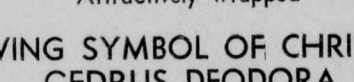
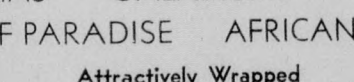
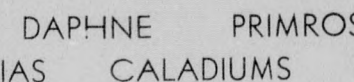
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## A DOLLAR DOWN . . .

The American people have probably bought more things via the "dollar-down-dollar-a-week" method than all the rest of the people on the globe put together. In the past however, credit terms have often been too easy. Persons with low sales resistance and equally low incomes have frequently been lured into undertaking too many obligations. Time was when one might even buy a home on what virtually amounted to a "dollar-down" basis.

The recent relaxation of most credit restrictions imposed during the war will make easy terms available again on numerous items. But many Americans now see that it is to their advantage to use credit carefully. The man who pays cash for purchases or makes substantial down payments eliminates all or most of the added expense for interest or carrying charges. This also applies to the purchase of a home—only more so.

Today, in buying a new home many individuals who can afford to be paying 50 per cent or more down and are making their monthly payments as large as their income will allow. In this way they substantially cut the overall cost and, in a degree, compensate for current high prices.

In the final analysis, a house or anything else bought on time costs not just the sale price but also all the interest on the unpaid principal. A home purchased for \$10,000 on the basis of 10 or 20 per cent down with the balance spread over 20 or 25 years will actually cost several thousand dollars more than \$10,000.

Of course, many families are not able to put down a hefty chunk of cash and maintain large payments, but those who can should do it.

The dollar-down technique may be all right in its place but the practice of paying one's debts as quickly as possible not only costs less in the long run but puts one in a better position to save for other purposes.

In short, it's just good horse sense.

## "FLIGHTSEEING"

The publication of pictures taken by a camera mounted in a V-2 rocket as it sailed into the stratosphere above White Sands, New Mexico, gives us a preview of what "flightseeing" may be like 20 years from now. At a height of 65 miles above the earth one would be able to see a distance of about 1200 to 1300 miles from east to west or north to south. Over White Sands, at that elevation, the view would extend from San Diego to Kansas City and from San Antonio to Salt Lake City. That's approximately 1,600,000 square miles of the earth's surface. Of course, from that high in the heavens you wouldn't be able to pick out familiar spots with the naked eye but you could certainly say that you had seen a lot of country. You could also say that you had traveled extensively—up and down.



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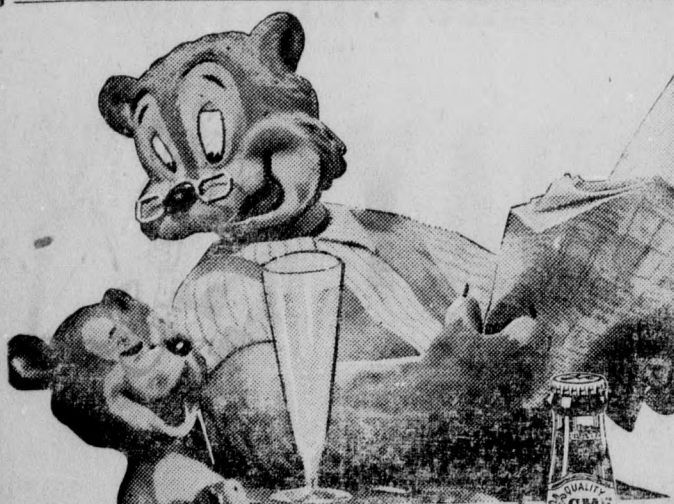
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THEME FOR TOURNAMENT OF ROSES . . . "Holidays in Flowers" will be the theme of Pasadena's tournament of roses on New Year's Day, the committee in charge of the event announced, with Pat Keller, four, as "Little Mister 1947." Pat in the traditional scanty garb of the Little New Year, turned the pages of a huge flower-decked calendar to point out the many holidays celebrated in this country. Rose bowl game will be the feature of the tournament.

## DO YOU RECALL?

DECEMBER 18, 1908

The first child to be born on the summit of Mt. Wilson was the nine pound baby girl born Monday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Ross at their cottage at the Mt. Wilson hotel, where Mr. Ross is manager. One child had previously been born at Martin's Camp, several hundred feet further down the mountain, being Miss Alta Steele, now Mrs. Lee Chaffee.

Miss Hilda Humphries is at home to spend the Christmas season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Humphries.

Tom McCarey, manager of the Jeffries Athletic Club in Los Angeles, has returned to Sierra Madre with his family and will spend the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz entertained informally at cards Tuesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Marcus W. Capps, Captain and Mrs. J. A. Osgood and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. G. Twycross are expecting their son, Converse, to arrive Monday from San Francisco and remain 'till after the holidays.

Mrs. Charles E. Benthall was called to San Diego the first of the week to confer with Bishop Johnson regarding the proposed school there which it is hoped may be opened this coming autumn.

Miss Sage and her mother, Mrs. Horning, of Los Angeles, were guests this week at the Steinberger and Fox homes.

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Les Miller of Sierra Madre, all-conference end on the Pasadena J. C. football team, was last week elected captain of the 1932 upper division varsity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miller, 265 N. Mountain Trail.

The City of Sierra Madre has been presented with two genuine Japanese flowering cherry trees to be planted in the City Park.

Presented in the name of the Chamber of Commerce in Japan, the trees were accepted by Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Nomura, who in turn presented them to the citizens of Sierra Madre. Mrs. John Osgood, secretary of the Planning Commission accepted them for the city.

Rudolph R. Hartman, local druggist, has been awarded the prize for the best moving picture shorts of sea gulls on Mona Lake. A group of master movie cameramen judged the competition.

"Warm Afternoon," canvas of Henry Ivins Hawthurst of 115 Bonita Ave., is being shown this month at Exposition building in Los Angeles with the traveling painters' exhibit.

"What will the women do about sore shoulders?" several members of the Santa Anita Rifle Club asked on Wednesday evening when it was disclosed that a number of women, some wives of members, had expressed a desire to join the club and try for records.

## AROUND AND ABOUT

By Edward Lloyd Voorhees

FAREWELL TO SCOTLAND—The scars and ruins of other wars.

Back in Edinburgh I immediately joined a party of tourists in an open char-a-banc (a small autobus with roll-back top) for a few hours' trip around the Tweed river country, south and southeast of the city and toward the English border for my last day in Scotland. Our journey inscribed the sector of a circle whose center is Edinburgh, and this sector contains not only Abbotsford, the baronial house and estate that was the home of Sir Walter Scott, but also a brave array of castles and abbeys, now more or less in decay, if not in ruins, mementoes of the turbulent border feuds and warfare that for centuries produced blood and ballads between England and Scotland. Fortunately it was a sparkling sunny day, the last of July, and the rolling country with patches of forest, green meadows flecked with sheep and threaded with winding brooks, was as peaceful and pastoral in appearance as any section of equal size in our own New World.

But proof that we were in the Old World would ever and anon pop up before our eyes—a section of the old high wall which the Romans built under the Emperor Hadrian to keep the fierce tribes of Caledonia, a Scotland was then called, from swooping down upon the luxurious Roman villas and towns of the South, eighteen centuries ago; the scarred and crumbling towers and battlements of castles with such names as Craigmillar, Melville, Dalhousie, and Borthwick Castle—"up a little valley"—where local legend says the young and beautiful

about the "braw lads o' Galla Water."

But there is one, a secret one, Above them all I love him better.

And I'll be his, and he'll be mine, The bonnie lad o' Galla Water.

And I talked briefly there with a cosmopolitan Scot who told me he spends nine months of every year in Rome, and then comes to Galla Water every summer for the other three, a quaint and touching example, I thought, of a loyalty divided between the ground that sprouted him and the Eternal City of the South which had for seventeen years nourished his unfolding and ripening seasons. Indeed, the situation offers what might prove a tempting theme for a metaphysical romantic novelist—but Nathaniel Hawthorne no longer writes, and where is his successor?

At length along the river Tweed we entered a winding road, and by hill and dale descended to the great baronial parallelogram of a house which is Abbotsford. Its outlines, however, are by no means and oriel windows and terraces made irregular enough to give it the characteristically rugged, gruff, and sturdy air which so many Scotch houses convey. To this is added something of the air of a museum by the inclusion on its exterior surface of various "relics and curiosities" from other historical places, although the fine workmanship by which they have been worked in makes the effect not unpleasant. Only one brief year had Sir Walter enjoyed his great house and all its wondrous bric-a-brac from the four corners of earth and time when the disaster of debt overtook him through the failure of his publishers. Every college sophomore knows of his gallant, long, and nearly successful fight to pay off a debt which his sense of honor made him assume although he was not legally liable; but perhaps fewer today realize his amazing genius for hard work which, for the twelve years preceding the financial failure of Ballantyne & Company, enabled him to produce every few months, and sometimes in only six weeks, a fat volume of historical romance requiring often the most minute historical research for creating his elaborate settings of earlier centuries. We were given 40 minutes to inspect a house and its treasures which 40 years would still leave, I'm confident, some unanswered questions for the more curious. It's an impressive sight—and somewhat bewildering when one tries to believe it a private residence: it is a private library of 20,000 volumes, its great drawing room, its immense armorial hall with all the ancient and medieval weapons which Scott loved and knew so well bristling from the walls; and his ornate study and writing table, even the quill pen, and the "private" door by which he could get into the room without being observed by his ubiquitous guests.

I liked the story of my university teachers to tell me, however, of how Scott kept his sumptuously furnished study to be shown to visitors, while he actually wrote his stuff on a bare wooden table in an unadorned room in the attic. I wonder? I also enjoyed irreverently that old picture in the drawing room—doubtless a Scotch conception—representing Queen Elizabeth in a beard, dancing before the Spanish Ambassador!

While we had to leave Jedburgh's stately abbey, high in the Cheviots, unvisited, we did have a look-in at Dryburgh Abbey, whose name derived from the Gaelic meaning "oak bank" reminds one that the ancient Druids worshiped there. The property of Scott's great-grandfather, the latter's son lost it by extravagance. Sir Walter was wont to remark, "We have nothing left of Dryburgh but the right of stretching our bones there"—and there we stood for a few silent moments beside his simple tomb, marked only by a block of polished granite engraved with his name and the dates of his birth and death, 1832. Other members of his family and ancestry are buried around him—all in St. Mary's aisle of the ruined abbey church. Five miles further on we visited the remains of Melrose Abbey, ruined like the others by the once perpetual feuds between Scots and Saxons, still possessing in the moss-grown red sandstone of its broken aisles and arches the rich and melancholy beauty of slow decay. Once rebuilt by King Robert the Bruce, it was soon redestroyed by Richard II of England, but time placed Bruce's heart there, where its dust still

reposes under the pavement at the high altar.

For me the day had been like a dream worked upon a rich and fading tapestry and dedicated to things, old, unhappy, far-off things.

And battles long ago.

It was with a pleasant shock of reality that I encountered here at the old abbey my good neighbors from Barrytown, New York, Mr. and Mrs. John Jay Chapman, and they took me to see, in the cemetery near-by, a monument of red sandstone erected by Sir Walter Scott to his faithful forester. Scott's interest in and generous concern with the constant welfare of all his living tenants and workers at Abbotsford were part of his deserved fame, but no more effective and real than the similar but unheralded good deeds of the Chapmans throughout their richly productive lives at "Sylvania Farm" in America. My last full day in Scotland ended with the 40-mile ride back to Edinburgh, its castle and towers, in dark silhouette against the red and gold sunset sky growing ever taller as we glided along over the vast rolling expanse of

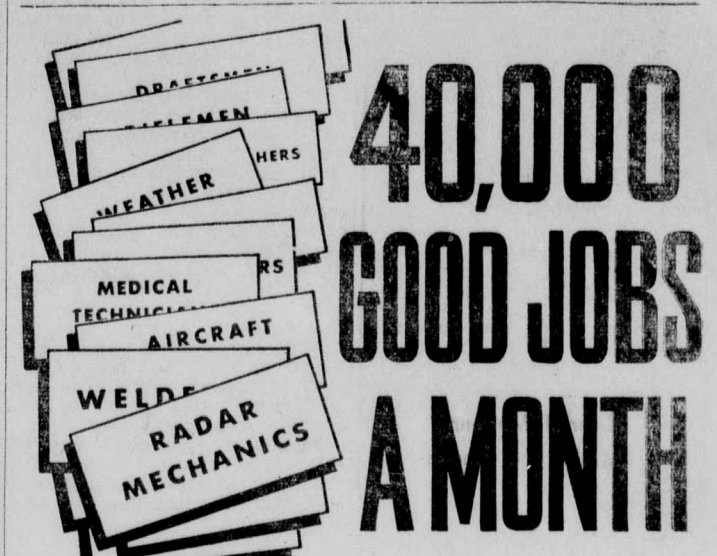
Lammermoor, until the purple of the blossoming heather was at length blended and lost in the descending curtain of purple and dusk twilight, and the silence of dusk enveloped us.

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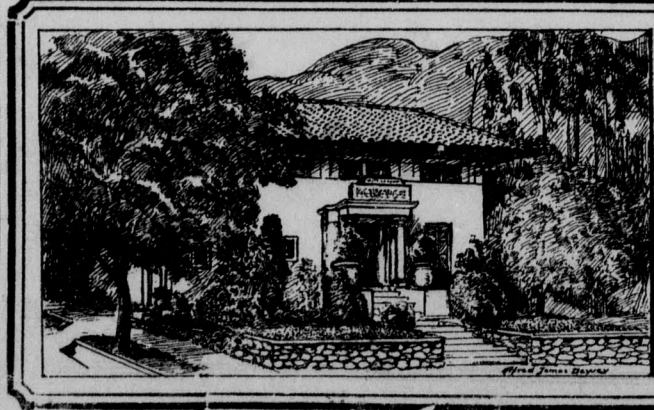
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We can't be thankful enough to our many good friends of the city. The reception of the men at the doors when the tickets were sold, was enough to encourage the continuance of the Christmas Party custom in the future. The ticket selling afforded us an opportunity to visit our neighbors. Other times we thought we were too busy. What has become of the old style "running in on our neighbors"? It wasn't such a bad habit. We used to have a neighbor that made the finest and best tasting vegetable soup that a man ever tasted. You know, I could smell that stuff working and there was always a reason for my going over to see them about that time. The fact is, if I didn't go over on my own, I was called from a raised window to COME over. (Yes, she was a nice lady and good looking too.) And this only reminds me that to each neighbor's door that I appeared while trying to sell tickets to the "Firemen's Ball", I was welcomed like a long lost brother. Now—why don't we visit our neighbors more often? I don't, from now on it will be because I have fallen back into that habit of picking up the evening newspaper and falling asleep as the paper falls to the floor. One of my New Year's resolutions will be "Take a walk after the evening meal." Chances are, some of the neighbors will suffer the consequences. I have some dog-gone swell neighbors and I wouldn't want to do anything to annoy them. People are nice as pie after you get to know them. Why do we jump at a chance to call someone a "sour-puss" or a similar disreputable denunciation? There's lots of good people. We found during the visits to our people that they, the best people in the world, are our true friends. We know that co-operation in fire prevention is seriously applied. Our folks are with us and when they call for a fire permit or advice on where to locate an incinerator, they are doing it because they want to help us. This aid has now reached a stage where we are all benefitting. If we are careful, we will not have many fires. Our citizens know this. They are working toward fewer and fewer fires. We may not have to use the expensive fire equipment that is now in our possession, but who cares? The less it is used for fire fighting the better we like it. We'll be satisfied to drill bi-monthly with it and keep it from rusting away.

It was with much respect that we welcomed our Mayor who came to the Big Party dressed in his Fireman's uniform. He is still "one of us". We are still sorry that he entered the realms of politics and hope that it never reaches a point where his activities as the life of a fireman will be forgotten.

We can't skip the boys who prepared the "punch" for the Party. This preparation kept them very busy all evening. Their work and interest was appreciated as much by the customers as by the firemen. And after that, we would like to suggest that we all make a special effort to bring the old year to a close without another fire call. To do this will require a continuous vigil. If bad luck should overtake us and we should become the victims of a fire, we urge you to call the fire department and we will surely do our doggonest to get the FIRES OUT.



ITALIAN STALLION FOR CALIFORNIA . . . Shown in his stall aboard the SS Highflyer, which brought him from Genoa, Italy, is the famous Italian sire, "Ortello." The horse is en route to Maj. Richard Hamilton, Vallejo, Calif. Purchase price was \$30,000. Ortello is shown on arrival at New Orleans with James D. Sinnott and Riha Yosef, Bohemian trainer, who traveled across the Atlantic with the valuable sire.

## Santa Anita Park Opens December 28 For 10th Season

Beautiful Santa Anita Park has everything in readiness to open its greatest winter season of racing on Saturday, December 28, and extending 50 days through March 8. It will be the tenth anniversary meeting with the richest program in the 50-odd years' history of the sport to be offered.

Horses from all parts of the world are now at Santa Anita Park and others are being flown in. The Santa Anita Handicap attracted 125 nominations. Included were 20 star horses imported from Europe and South America; Champions Assault and Armed with the winners of 82 stakes this season; and filly queen Busher with 17 stakes-winners in 1944 and 1945. It represents a great international turf line-up. The Derby drew 96 eligibles with six British stars and American juvenile champions.

Many nationally known sportsmen from out of state have reservations along with Southern California sport-lovers to take in the races at Santa Anita.

## "Lighting of the Trees" Historic Event Restored

San Francisco will this year revive the city's historic yuletide custom of celebrating the season with music and song beneath the Christmas stars.

This magnificent culmination of a brilliant season of Christmas music will be featured by the appearance of San Francisco's own famous singing star John Charles Thomas supported by chorus in a half hour concert of Christmas songs preceded by an afternoon concert by the San Francisco Municipal Band.

Final and climax of the occasion will be the dramatic ceremony of the "Lighting of the Trees." As the last strains of Adeste Fideles die upon the air the lights will be turned on in the beautiful Christmas Trees which adorn the Square in symbolic expression of San Francisco's Christmas wish for peace on earth and goodwill toward all men.

John Charles Thomas program will be broadcast nationally at five o'clock, Pacific Standard Time.

Dust the roses with dusting sulphur to prevent mildew.

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### LET'S TALK TURKEY

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Shrimp Cocktail  
Roast Fowl with Old-Fashioned Dressing  
mashed potatoes green vegetable  
Celery, Olives, Radishes  
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Persimmon Pudding with lemon sauce

### DIRECTIONS FOR ROASTING FOWL

Dress and clean. Season inside cavity of bird before stuffing. Rub bird with fat and season outside. Use an uncovered pan, place bird on a rack, breast down. Do not sear, add no water.

Fowl	Drawn Weight	Temp.	Min. per Lb.
Turkey	7-10 lb.	300° F.	25-35
	10-15 lb.	300° F.	20
	15-20 lb.	300° F.	18
Chicken	2-3 lb.	325° F.	55-60
	3-4 1/2 lb.	325° F.	30-40
Capon	7 lb.	325° F.	30
Duck	3-4 1/2 lb.	325° F.	30-40
Goose	7-8 lb.	325° F.	30

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2 loaves stale bread  
1/2 lb. butter or margarine  
2 large onions, diced  
2 C. diced celery  
1/2 tsp. Rosemary  
1/2 tsp. thyme  
1/2 tsp. marjoram  
3 Tbsp. minced parsley  
Salt and pepper to taste

Crumble bread, moisten slightly with hot water. Brown onions in part of butter, add to the bread. Fry celery until limp. Add celery and seasonings to bread.

Wash and dry the turkey inside and out, rub inside with softened butter, sprinkle with salt and pepper. Spoon the stuffing lightly into the turkey. Fasten the openings with skewers and string. Rub skin with unsalted oil. Roast uncovered, on flat rack or pan at 300° F. to 350° F. Allow 25 to 35 minutes per pound. Sliced mushrooms or giblets may be added to the stuffing. This amount of stuffing is for a ten-pound turkey.

## No Extra Sugar Before January 1st

Because of the uncertainties developed with recent changes in the sugar rationing branch of OPA, the Southern California Office today pointed out that the next sugar ration stamp for consumers would become due on January 1.

No extra rations can be obtained between now and Jan. 1, OPA said.

Stamp 51, as well as the canning stamps 9 and 10, will expire midnight, December 31.

Many consumers are writing the Los Angeles branch office asking for extra rations. These persons are under the impression that they may obtain extra sugar after they have used the current valid stamps. This is not possible and consumers must wait until the new stamps become valid January 1, OPA declared.

## 18 Regional Artists In New Exhibit At Pasadena Institute

Eighteen Southern California artists are represented in a new exhibition opening this week in the East galleries of the Pasadena Art Institute.

A special Christmas exhibition in the Pasadena room displays work portraying the Christmas season. "Ancient Civilizations of the New World" is the theme of a loan exhibition of Pre-Columbian pottery and sculpture, photographs of early Maya sites and present inhabitants and paintings by John Bourne.

Other showings include "Santos: A Primitive American Art"; woodcuts by Antonio Frasconi; and water colors by Kathleen Lovelock.

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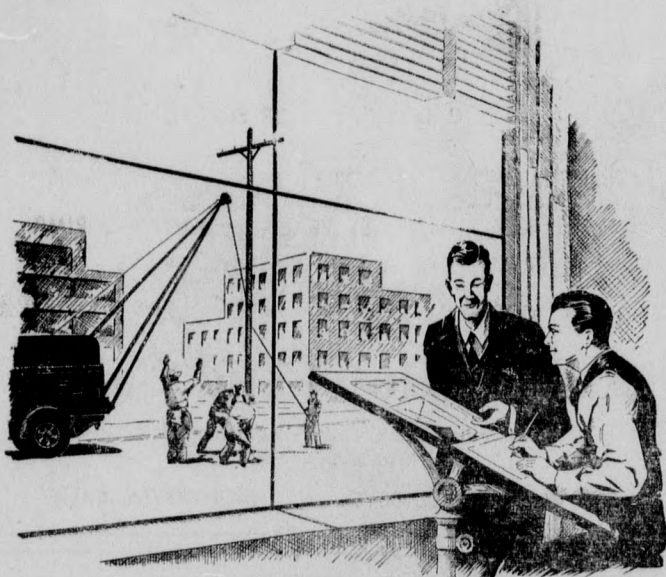
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Children should not exchange toilet articles or wearing apparel. If children are infected with the coin-sized red patches of ringworm, a physician should be consulted or they may receive treatment at the Monrovia health center. They are excluded from school until the disease is under control.

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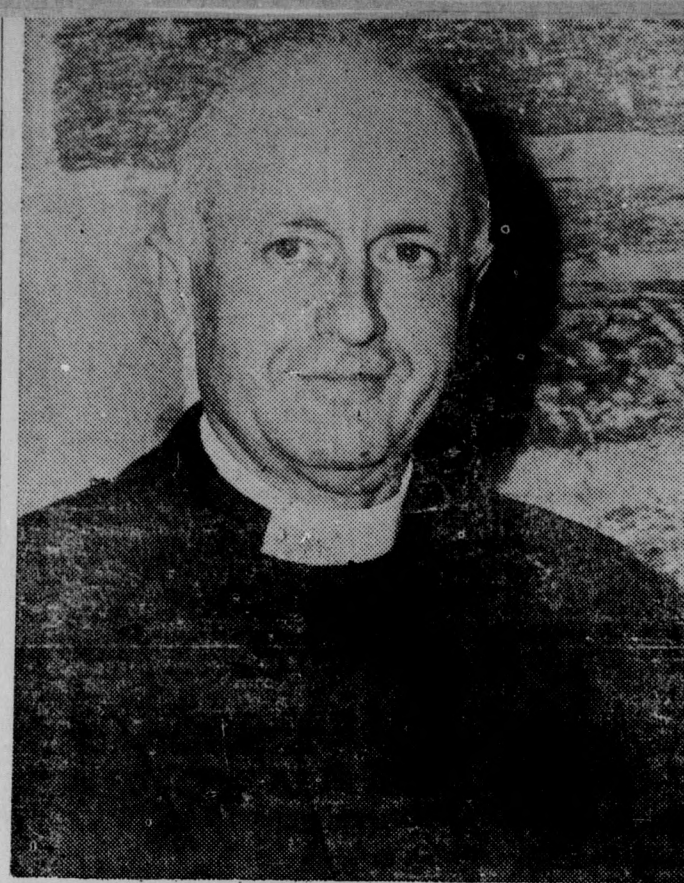
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## Nancy Holmes SUGGESTS



REFRESHMENT time comes often during the Christmas holidays. Ice cream and cup cakes are tempting fare from midday until midnight. So, as Nancy Holmes of the Best Foods kitchens suggests, be a gracious hostess, be prepared and have a supply on hand.

### Mocha Ice Cream

1/2 cup vitaminized margarine  
3 tablespoons condensed milk  
2 tablespoons plain cocoa  
1 1/2 tablespoons cold water  
1 1/2 cups boiling water  
2 egg yolks  
1 1/2 cups (1 cup) sweetened condensed milk  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon plain gelatin  
2 cups thin cream (20%)  
2 egg whites

Melt margarine and stir in flour, cocoa and coffee powder. Add boiling water slowly, stir and cook until smooth. Add to egg yolks mixed with condensed milk and salt. Cook a minute more; add gelatin soaked in water. Cool. Chill cream and whip frothy. Combine with milk mixture. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Freeze until firm. Yield: about 2 quarts.

### Cranberry Sauce Cup Cakes

2 cups flour  
1/2 teaspoon cloves  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
3/4 teaspoon soda  
1/2 cup hot water

Sift, measure flour and resift with spices, baking powder, soda and salt. Stir in raisins and nuts, if used. Cream vitaminized margarine with sugar until light and fluffy. Add to dry ingredients with cranberry sauce blended with hot water. Mix all together only until batter looks creamy. Fill well greased muffin pans 3/4 full. Bake in moderately hot oven (375°F.) 30-35 minutes. Cool. Spread with thin white frosting. Decorate with thin chocolate frosting, lettering "Merry Christmas" with pastry tube. Yield: 1 1/2 dozen 2 1/2 inch cup cakes.

Note: If sauce contains whole cranberries, chop.



4-H HEALTH WINNERS . . . Named national health winners at the 25th 4-H club congress were, left to right: Nancy Jean Davis, 17, Pittsburg, Okla.; Mary Lou Jacobee, 18, Zachary, La.; Robert J. Harkopf, 14, Appleton, Wis., and Robert E. Berry, Gage, Okla.

## Church Announcements

for SUNDAY

### BETHANY

(The Round Stone Church). Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Minister. Sunday, 9:30 a.m., Bible School. Classes for all ages, 11:00 a.m., Morning Worship. 6:30 p.m., Christian Endeavor Societies. 7:30 p.m., Evening Meeting. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Highland and Hermosa  
The question "Is the Universe, including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the Sunday Lesson-Sermon subject in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston. The Golden Text is from Deuteronomy: "Behold, the heaven and the heaven of heavens is the Lord's thy God, the earth also, with all that therein is."

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

Episcopal  
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Rev. H. G. Smith, Jr., Rector.  
Rev. A. G. H. Bode, Rector-Emeritus.

SUNDAY, December 22.  
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
9:30 A. M.—Church School.  
11:00 A. M.—Confirmation and Choral Eucharist.  
The Rt. Rev. S. Bertrand Stevens, D. D., Bishop of Los Angeles, will administer the Sacrament of Holy Confirmation and preach.

TUESDAY, December 24th—Christmas Eve.  
11:30 P. M.—Procession and Festival Midnight Eucharist.

WEDNESDAY, December 25th—Christmas Day.  
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
9:30 A. M.—Procession, Festival, Eucharist, Sermon, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. (The Children's Choir).  
11:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Rev. David H. Metzger, pastor. Sunday morning Bible School, 9:30. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Young People's service, 6:30. Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30. Wednesday.

### ST. RITA'S SHRINE

Rev. Leo Scheibel, C. P., Pastor. Masses daily, 6:30 and 8:15 a. m., except Saturday when Mass is said at 6:30 only. Sunday, 6:30, 8 and 11 a. m. Evening devotions Tuesday at 7:30.

### THE INTERDENOMINATIONAL CHURCH

—Masonic Temple, Pastor, Mrs. E. E. Stewart, Assistant Pastor, Mrs. S. K. Lessley. Sunday, Morning Worship, 11 a. m.; Evangelistic Service 7:30 p. m. Thursday, Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

### AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH of Arcadia

1424 Baldwin Avenue. A. H. Hintz, Pastor. 9:45—Sunday School. 11:00—Divine Services. 7:30—Evening Service.

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## Figures Show California's Growth Pains

Added proof that California is enjoying more growing pains than any other section of the nation was provided today by Louis M. Dreves, regional director of the Civilian Production Administration construction division.

Studies of residential building permits in the United States disclose that California is leading the nation in building more homes than prior to the war.

Southern California, with some 10 to 12 per cent of all the residential construction in the nation, is responsible for most of the State's growing pains, and more than half of all construction in the Pacific states is in the southland.

Population shifts from east to west put the Pacific states in the foremost of non-farm residential construction.

C. P. A.'s study of building permits issued during the first nine months of 1946 shows that the following regions of the country are building a bigger share of the nation's houses than they did during the same period in 1941: Pacific States, 24.1 per cent; west south central states,

and west north central states. California and Texas were reported as leading the trend in western home building. In the New England, middle Atlantic, east north central, and south Atlantic states, fewer housing units are being built than were erected during Pearl Harbor year.

As a result, manufacturers of building materials are facing a changing market pattern through the east-to-west shift in housing construction throughout the United States.

Transplanted industries and the attendant population shifts help to explain the differences between the 1941 and the 1946 housing pictures. Distributors of materials, must recognize developing market areas and shrinking market areas.

The survey disclosed that during the first nine months of 1946

the Pacific states accounted for 20.2 per cent of the total residential building permits in the nation, as compared to 16.4 per cent in 1941.

## 'ROUND THE TOWN

♦ The R. Wilkersons have moved from 206 So. Sunnyside Ave., to their new home in San Dimas.

♦ Miss Virginia Hebert, sister of Mrs. Terry Clark, East Alhambra Ave., sailed Sunday from San Francisco on the S. S. Marine Lynx for Shanghai, China. Representing the National Mission Board of the Protestant Episcopal church, Miss Hebert is en route to Anking, China, where she will do medical-social work at St. James hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. William F. Rhodes, 702 Manzanita Avenue will entertain a party of eight on Christmas Eve with dinner at Pierre's in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Luther Crawford, of San Benito, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes will join a family party on Christmas day at the Clay Selby home in Beverly Hills.

Bridge and a buffet supper tomorrow night will include a group of 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Romberger at 1199 Rancho Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Alford, 156 Vista Circle Drive, will spend Christmas day with Mrs. Frances Bell at Long Beach and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hemingway at Glendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Sears and Mrs. Effie Youmans, 663 Brookside Lane, enjoyed a trip Sunday to Hi-Vista in Antelope Valley for a visit with Mrs. Edith Sader. The trip was made over the Palmdale cut-off.

Lynda Lee Leslie celebrated her 5th birthday anniversary Sunday at a party given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leslie, at 1625 Perkins Drive. Christmas decorations and games made the occasion a happy one for Lynda Lee. In the group were Lynn Alexander, young week-end guest from Burbank, Joan Boeger, Dickie Pierce, Lois Schaffer and Arthur Ploos.

Sierra Madreans singing in the chorus of the presentation of "The Messiah" last night and again tonight at Pasadena Civic Auditorium under the direction of Richard Lert are Mrs. Randolph Wood, Mrs. Edith Bullwinkle, Mrs. David Wood and two De Temple sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Northrup of 468 Woodland Drive are the proud parents of a baby boy, Lloyd Brace, born December 10 at Huntington Memorial hospital. Mother and babe returned home Monday and are both doing nicely.

Jack Mitchell is home for the holidays from his work at Warner Bros. Studios, where he is employed in the Public Relations department. Some of the work of the Property Dept., Jack falls on his shoulders and the movie stars enjoy a joke once in a while. Recently Ann Sheridan sent word to Jack that she wanted a "Potato Clock". Jack, who is a source of supply without avail. No could find a Potato clock so he went to Miss Sheridan and said, "Miss Sheridan, what is a Potato Clock?" and she replied, "I set my alarm for this morning and got-up-at-eight-o'clock."

A family Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bradford, 1625 Perkins Drive, will include Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Cotton of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Keeney of Alhambra, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dore, Jr. and son Jory, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leslie and children. Lynda Lee and Gary.

A Christmas eve party, complete with tree, yule log and exchange of gifts, at the G. C. Richardson home at 707 Woodland Drive will include Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Smith of Clearwater and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fritz and children of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin L. Bowman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Noel McGarvin, 800 Skyland Drive, at dinner Sunday evening, honoring Mr. McGarvin's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Fannie Lacey, 26 E. Highland, returned Sunday from a six weeks' visit with her daughters, Mrs. Francis Dawson and Miss Birda Lacey, in El Paso, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Krinke of W. Carter have been notified of the advancement of their son, Fred P. Krinke, with the Air Engineer Corps in Korea from Pfc to Corporal. Fred has only been in the service since April.

Mrs. Agnes Welch returned recently from Beloit, Wisconsin, where she spent five months with her daughter and family.



ROCKET-PROPELLED PLANE PROVES SUCCESS... Army air forces has announced successful completion of the Bell XS-1, rocket-propelled airplane. Designed to fly at a top speed of 1,700 m.p.h. at an altitude of 80,000 feet, it was intended as a pilot flying research laboratory, sole function of which will be recording of data on the effect of transonic and supersonic speeds on an aircraft. This data will be used in development of faster and safer planes.

Tommy Mitchell, who is attending Westmont College at Santa Barbara, came Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell.

Mrs. Mary DeBergh of 28 N. Hermosa left yesterday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Ingraham at Good-year, Arizona.

Duane Chester is expected home Sunday from the University of Missouri at Columbia for a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Chester, at 255 Hacienda Drive.

Holiday activities at the Theodore L. Chase home at 312 E. Grandview Ave. will include Mrs. Sally E. Briggs, mother of Mrs. Chase in a family party at home with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Briggs of Glendale and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Golding of Los Angeles, together with a Christmas day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Decker were in the city Monday visiting friends. They were owners of the Wistaria Bake Shop for many years but are now living seven miles east of Redlands, where they have purchased a home and an acre of land, with a mountain stream running through it, and are enjoying outdoor life.

Plant bulbs so the blooms will be shaded from the hot afternoon sun. This prolongs the blooming season.



CLASSROOM ON THE AIR... A Denver teacher, Mrs. Ruth Evans, faces the microphone as the public school "classrooms of the air" get under way in Denver.

A New York jeweler spent 13 months cutting the Vargas, a 726 karat diamond found in 1938 by two Brazilian farmers.

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Not a creature was stirring, not  
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AS ALL OF YOU KNOW WHO READ, the verses which truly brought Christmas to America were written by Clement Clarke Moore, D. D. S. (Dentist, to you), on December 24, 1882, in a moment of Yuletide inspiration.

IT SEEMS THAT DR. MOORE, after completing his shopping on that Christmas Eve, encountered an old friend, Jan Duyckinck, a chubby, jolly Dutchman with rosy cheeks and a great, white beard from which protruded a stump of a pipe and a whirl of smoke.

FOR YEARS JAN DUICKINCK (Gosh, what a name!) had entertained both children and grown-ups with his stories of St. Nicholas. On this Christmas Eve in 1882, Dr. Moore heard once again the tales of the miraculous Santa Claus—So-called by the Dutch children—who rewarded good boys and girls with gifts at Christmas.

AS DOCTOR MOORE TRUDGED HOME that evening, his imagination painted for him a sleigh drawn by eight reindeer from the mysterious Arctic, driven by Saint Nick (or could it have been Jan?), and loaded with gifts and toys for deserving friends.

IN HIS MIND'S EYE, DR. MOORE saw Santa flick his long whip o'er the rumps of his reindeer, all the while shouting their names into the wind:

Now, Dasher! Now Dancer! Now Prancer and Vixen!  
On, Comet! On, Cupid! On, Donner and Blitzen!

AND SO CHRISTMAS IS HERE! Merry Christmas and happy days to all of you, with my sincere and heartfelt wish that you receive now and throughout the coming year all the fine things you so richly deserve.

THAT BEING SAID, CRASS COMMERCIALISM rears its sometimes ugly head. Necessarily, I am modest in extolling my virtues. However, this modesty need not prevail in praising my wares. Hence I say, in hope you will read, here's the place to buy what you need!

IT IS HARD TO NAME ALL THE THINGS you want—and which we have for this Feast of the Nativity. Probably your entire will be Turkey. We have 'em! Better than ever before! Hand-raised, hand-dressed and hand-packaged! They are cellophane-wrapped, and when Mom unwraps one so she can stuff it with oyster or walnut dressing—well, I think she will feel she is unwrapping another Christmas gift!

THE BUTCHERS TRY TO TELL ME that they are already oversold on Pollard's fine, ready-to-roast Turkeys. Well, I've talked to POP. He thinks he can get enough of these fine birds to fill your orders. All sizes, sex he, but only one kind: THE BEST!

NOW LET'S SEE? ? ? We must have cranberries, eh? You can use them raw in gelatin salad (ask MOM for her recipe), and you should use them cooked to offset the richness of the turkey. I might as well take down my fine frog's hair and admit that POP and I are "stuck" with bogberries. So is everyone else! (Not enough sugar, I suppose.) The result is this: I must take a loss on cranberries, and a heavy one. HAVE YOU A LITTLE SUGAR IN YOUR HOME? If so, how about a pound or so of good cranberries at 15c a pound—or of fancy cranberries at 25c a pound? This is not a "loss leader", as we used to term such things in the good, old days! Frankly, I must unload!

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1/2 cup shortening or butter 1 cup thick apple sauce  
1 1/2 cups brown sugar 1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 egg 1/2 teaspoon ground clove  
1 teaspoon soda 1 1/2 to 2 cups of flour

1 teaspoon of salt  
Cream shortening, sugar and egg together. Dissolve soda in apple sauce, and add and sift salt, cinnamon and clove with part of the flour and add to the first mix.

## Mexican Wedding Cakes

2 cups of cake flour 1 cup of shortening  
1 cup of ground walnut meats 4 tablespoons powdered sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream shortening and sugar, add flour and walnuts, then vanilla. Mix, roll in balls the size of small walnuts. Bake 15 minutes at 325 degrees. Roll in powdered sugar when cool.

WHAT A BUSINESS! ANYWAY, THE MEAT cases are full and so are the grocery shelves. More bacon, more lard, more paper goods, more shortening, more mayonnaise—and more of everything all the time!

YESTERDAY WE PICKED UP OUR FINAL allotment of Christmas trees. They are good, they are fresh, and all have been personally selected by TOM and POP! The moisture of Washington snow still clings to their branches!

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Cherub Milk 25c  
Evaporated, 3 small cans, 1-lb. can, 1-lb. can, 1-lb. can.

Baby Foods 18c  
Chopped variety, 2 cans, 1-lb. can.

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## SAFEWAY



## Col. Hersey

(Continued from page one)  
that day, but he liked the weather service work and with no indication in 1891 of probable future wars, he chose a civilian career rather than risk assignment to a remote outpost with no opportunity for scientific study and advancement.  
So he went on an inactive mil-

tary status with the understanding that he would return to active duty, in case of a national emergency.

Soon afterward, while in charge of the U. S. Weather Service in New Mexico, he was asked by the territorial governor to accept appointment as adjutant-general, and to organize a territorial militia.

Col. Hersey agreed to accept the appointment if the governor would secure the consent of the necessary government officials in Washington. Approval of the Secretaries of Agriculture and War, and of the Attorney General, was soon forthcoming, whereupon Hersey proceeded to fill two positions simultaneously—Adjutant-General and Chief of the territory's Weather Service.

Tackling the difficult task of organizing the volunteer territorial troops into a disciplined civilian militia, he secured the adoption of regulations penalizing unexcused absence from drills, and calling the men together, he explained the necessity of discipline in a military organization. Contrary to popular predictions, the men reacted with enthusiasm and the regiments began to achieve an effective organization.

Foreseeing the possibility of war with Spain, Hersey set about to train the territorial militia for combat duty. So it was that when the United States went to war with Spain in 1898, the Adjutant-General of New Mexico was called upon to supply a cavalry unit for the "Rough Riders" and wound up furnishing over half the famous regiment's personnel.

Going on active duty with the "Rough Riders," Hersey served throughout the Cuban campaign, first under Col. Leonard Wood, then under Col. Theodore Roosevelt. He reflects on his service under those officers with genuine gratitude.

Though he says that he could not see much significance in the Spanish-American War while fighting in it, in perspective he sees it as one of the most important wars in which we have engaged for it marked the United States' emergence as a world power.

Cities along the East coast feared an invasion by the dreaded Spanish fleet, and in 1898 appealed to the government for protection.

Being the first overseas war in which the U. S. engaged, little was known about such problems as transporting troops by ship, and furnishing them with necessary supplies.

And yet, despite the country's lack of experience as a world power prior to the Spanish-American War, time has proven the wisdom and good faith of its action at that time, Col. Hersey believes. For with the granting of full independence to the Philippine Republic, this year, stewardship of lands taken from Spain in that war has been successfully concluded.

After the war with Spain, Col. Hersey returned to the Weather



MR. AND MRS. J. ARTHUR GADD (Marion Evans) are pictured dining in a Las Vegas cafe following their marriage. Both are prominent in business circles in Sierra Madre and Monrovia.

## Gadd-Evans Wedding at Las Vegas Made Known Today

A delayed announcement of the marriage which took place October 11th at Las Vegas, Nevada, of Marion Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Krell of Monrovia, and J. Arthur Gadd of this city has been made.

Mr. and Mrs. Gadd are dividing their time between the bride's residence at 225 Laurel Ave., Arcadia, and Mr. Gadd's apartment at 6 West Sierra Madre Blvd. Mrs. Gadd will continue her business as proprietor of the Gem City Auto Wrecking and Supply Co. Mr. Gadd operates a tree service business in Sierra Madre.

Bureau, but was again called to active military duty in 1906, when the Army detailed him as executive officer of an Arctic expedition under Walter Wellman, who sought to go to the North pole by dirigible. Sponsored by the Chicago Record-Herald, the expedition sought to make polar explorations, using a French-made lighter-than-air ship.

Although the expedition failed to achieve its purpose, Col. Hersey gained much valuable information for the Army. While at the Spitzbergen Island headquarters, he supervised the manufacture of 250,000 cu. ft. of hydrogen gas. A colorful souvenir of this trip is a colossal polar bear skin on his living room floor.

With his interest aroused in lighter-than-air aviation, he went to Europe to study it further. Joining the Air Club of France, he became a licensed pilot. Participating in European balloon racing, he won the first balloon race across the English Channel from the Continent to England, and brought the cup to America.

He again returned to the Weather Bureau and World War I found him establishing a chain of government weather stations along the Caribbean seacoast.

Called back to active military service, he was assigned as commandant of Ft. Omaha, Nebraska, where he was instructed to set up the first complete lighter-than-air training program.

Beginning with eight officers and 75 enlisted men, scarcely any of whom had ever seen a balloon, the program grew until approximately 450 officers and 2500 enlisted personnel were continuously in training.

Col. Hersey then went to France as commanding officer of an artillery observation unit which directed artillery fire from hydrogen gas-filled balloons operated on windlasses near the front lines.

The hazards of this service were very great, for even though anti-aircraft fire from the ground batteries had not yet been developed, enemy aircraft frequently shot down the observation balloons. Experienced observation balloon personnel were able to direct artillery fire with amazing accuracy, Col. Hersey recalls.

Released from active military service in 1919, he came to Los Angeles as head of the Weather Bureau which post he filled until his retirement in 1932. His home has been in Sierra Madre since 1928.

Gustavus Franklin Swift, founder of Swift & Company, left school when he was 14 years old to work for his brother, a butcher, for \$1 a week, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica. At 16 he entered the business world with \$20 borrowed capital. When he died at 63, Swift was head of the meat-packing firm which had a capitalization of \$25,000,000.

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Christmas Entertainment  
St. Rita's School Given Two Days

The pupils of St. Rita's presented one of the finest Christmas entertainments ever given by the school this year Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday evening.

The Cantata, Pageant, "The Prince of Peace," was given by Mary Ellen Gossweiler, as Mary; Elbert Johnson, Joseph; Suzette Fortin, Angel; Adolfo Dominguez, Ignacio Haines, Ervin Podliska, Magi; Donald Lorenzini, David Lovejoy and Tom Webster, readers. Grades 3-4-5-6-7-8, Angels, Shepherds and chorists. The piano solo was by Patricia Sheehan.

The Christmas Pastoral was presented by Neva Cladke; Grades 1 and 2 were the rhythm band with Donald Lorenzini at the piano.

The cast for "Santa's Little King" was Patricia Sheehan, prodigy; Mary Ann Reynolds, Terese Cole, Evelyn; Valdele Valencia, Shelia; Neil Maloney, Tom; Gerald Twedell, Bob; Susan O'Bryan, Betty; Barry Galvin, Intruder and Tommy Sligh and Joseph Kelly, "Orphan."

The Womans' executive board of Bethany Church were guests at the F. D. R. Moote home Tuesday for their annual Christmas luncheon. Coveds for 17 were laid at the banquet table which was lovely in Yuletide motif. The afternoon sociability revealed the Secret-Pals of the year which turned out to be a most enjoyable surprise.

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Charlotte Philtha Cochran, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cochran of 85 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., became the bride of Paul D. S. Burnett of London, England, in a ceremony solemnized at St. Andrews church in Pasadena, Monday morning. Miss Cochran who served during the war in the Pentagon Bldg., Washington, D. C., in the foreign language department was attired in a grey street suit, brown accessories and her corsage was of gardenias.

The attendants were the bride's sister, Suzanne Cochran, bridesmaid and Roy Wilkins, best man. The young people, who met at the Madison Hotel in Pasadena, where Miss Cochran was a stenographer, have left for an extended stay in San Francisco. Mr. Burnett was a captain in the English army for four years and at the close of the war realized a dream come true when he came to America. His mother was a Pasadena and came to visit her native city.

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## ROUND THE TOWN

Joan Galkin, 110 East Mira Monte, left Sunday for Seattle to spend the holidays with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Galkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morse attended the annual Christmas celebration of the Sunshine club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benedict in Pasadena Tuesday. The ladies met for the afternoon and were joined by the husbands for turkey dinner and gifts in the evening.

Mrs. E. J. McDonald fell and broke her left ankle while shopping Monday and is confined to her home, 201 E. Grandview.

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